

Wilbur C. Buford has been re-appointed as State Game and Fish Commissioner by Governor Park for a four-year term. This is a most pleasing appointment as the young man must have given entire satisfaction as no word of criticism has yet appeared in any paper against him.

The Standard editor wishes to caution "funny boys" to go slow in phoning questionable and suggesting "ads" to The Standard as we resent such coming over the phone to our bookkeeper, in fact we don't like it a damn bit.

The piece of blackberry weather that has been visited on this section during this week has been very unpleasant to those who have shed their long ones. This same piece of weather has greatly encouraged cut worms to do their derndest with the sprouting corn and the army worms to make a clean sweep of meadows that came within their advance. With these depressing things for the farmer, gardens are looking fine, lettuce, radishes and onions appear on almost every table, rose beds and flower gardens were never more beautiful, which proves that God still rules on high.

The Standard office was honored with visits from editors from North Missouri and Iowa during the week, who had been in attendance on the National Editorial Convention in New Orleans. Sorry the editor was not at his desk during these calls as it is a pleasure to receive these gentlemen of the press and show them every courtesy.

Dr. L. O. Rodes, who has been a patient at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis for some weeks, returned to his home in this city Tuesday afternoon. He is greatly improved in health and looks better than he has for a year. Friends are very happy over his miraculous recovery.

The editor and C. L., Jr., were guests at the Shainberg home Tuesday evening for a real home-cooked fried chicken dinner. It was real thoughtful of these good people to have these two "widowers" out for dinner, and the meal was thoroughly enjoyed.

Murray To Visit Capital Soon and Learn New Duties

Matthews S. Murray, who is to take a year's leave of absence from his position as the city's director of public works to become federal works project administrator for Missouri, is expected to go to Washington within the next few days to confer with government officials regarding his new post.

Scheduled for several days to be named state administrator, Murray received a telegram Monday night from Harry L. Hopkins, federal administrator, announcing the appointment and advising him that a letter of instruction was following.

It is understood the letter will request his presence in Washington to discuss with Hopkins, Secretary Ickes and other officials his duties in supervising the expenditure of the \$120,000,000 share that Missouri is expected to get from the \$2,880,000,000 works relief appropriation.

One of Murray's first duties, when he takes over his new job, will be the appointment of three deputy administrators, one for the Kansas City area, one of St. Louis and one for outstate Missouri.

Headquarters of the new state administrators will be in Jefferson City, where state relief headquarters now is located.—K. C. Post.

WILL SEEK FUNDS FOR CONTROL OF MALARIA

An attempt to secure government funds to eliminate malarial fever dangers in Southeast Missouri by establishment of more adequate drainage facilities will be sponsored by an organization of district county court representatives, who met at Bloomfield Tuesday.

The group, which will be called the Seven County Malaria Control Unit of Southeast Missouri, is headed by Judge C. H. Robards of Dunklin County. F. S. Rogers of Jackson is secretary-treasurer. Members of the executive committee are T. F. Henry, Scott county; H. I. Ruth, Butler; T. E. Garrison, Dunklin; Elton Proffer, New Madrid; J. O. Bebout, Mississippi; Yewell Lawrence, Stoddard; and one to be chosen from Pemiscot.

Mrs. L. D. Comer of Chicago spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Comer. On Saturday night the group motored to Cape Girardeau. On Sunday they were all dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer at Morehouse. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Comer, and their guest, accompanied by Mrs. Maude Wicks and Miss Mary Louise Arnett drove to Cairo from where Mrs. L. D. Comer returned home.

California to New York—in eleven hours—To meet his girl! But he couldn't make love that fast! And so he heir to millions saw his happiness handed over to a professional fortune hunter! Rex theatre, Saturday.

Those Who Never Retract Their Opinions Love Themselves More Than They Love Truth.—Joubert.

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Murray Chosen State Works Progress Head

Matthews S. Murray, director of public works in Kansas City, was notified by telegram Monday night that he had been appointed Missouri works progress administrator.

The appointment was announced by Harry L. Hopkins, federal relief administrator, after Missouri's two Democratic senators, Bennett Champ Clark and Harry S. Truman, had recommended Murray for the position.

The Kansas City official will be granted a year's leave of absence from his job and will establish headquarters in Jefferson City, where he will work closely with Wallace Crossley, Missouri relief administrator.

About 120 million dollars will be spent in this state on works relief projects, Senator Truman has estimated. If a suggestion made by the Kansas City senator is accepted, representatives of Missouri cities and towns will gather in Jefferson City to formulate a plan to submit to Hopkins, Secretary Ickes, and Frank C. Walker, the "big three" in Washington.

"Murray knows the state, its public officials, and its needs," Senator Truman said last week. "With him directing the works relief, Missouri should consider itself fortunate."

Murray is well-known here since he was a former resident born in Dayton, O., on October 27, 1883. Murray spent his early

years there, graduating from St. Mary's Institute in 1901 with a civil engineering degree. For several months he worked as localizing engineer for the United States Telephone Company and for the R. E. Kline Engineering Company. Between November 1902, and February, 1906, he was deputy surveyor under John E. Warner of Benton. Then working for Frisco railroad, he located the yards, the roundhouse, and the water system for Frisco employees in Chaffee.

Coming here in July, 1908, Murray entered the general contracting business and secured numerous jobs, among them that of locating and installing the city's new \$30,000 water works system, a contract awarded by the city council.

Later he became affiliated with the state highway department, serving as the first division engineer in the Southeast Missouri district, with headquarters in Stikeston. From here he went to Jefferson City, where he accepted a position as chief of surveys and plans with the state highway department. He was still serving in that position when, on recommendation of Theodore Gary of Kansas City's director of petachhrms City, then head of the highway commission, he was hired as Kansas City's director of public works to succeed H. F. McElroy when the latter was made city manager in 1926.

Seniors Delight Large Audience With Farce

Professor Frederick Relyea—Fred Jones.

Mrs. Wellmiller—"Auntie", his sister—Mary Emma Powell.

Sylvia Relyea, his daughter—Margaret Fisher.

Phillip Stanton, his assistant—Billy Bob Donnell.

General Henry Burbeck—Gust Zacher.

Marcella Burbeck—Lillian Rita Derris.

Mrs. Vivvett, a neighbor—Mildred Rushing.

Mrs. Henderson, her mother—Mildred Williams.

Lucille Norton, a neighbor—Adele Love.

Judge Sanderson—John Wilson.

Sheriff Johnson—Het Lambert.

Deputy Sheriff Stoker—Glenn Matthews.

Carrying the audience with their earnest intensity, seniors rollicked through "Second Childhood" Tuesday evening to present a finished, well-rounded performance.

Members of the cast fulfilled the demands of a farce that they appear sincerely concerned as improbable events mount one upon another until they reach near catastrophe. And for their convincing performances they gained unanimous approval of the audience, whose full laughter was almost continuous and whose applause was long and hearty.

The piece is concerned with the difficulties of Professor Frederick Relyea in his efforts to perfect an elixir of youth. Forgetting all obligations which an ordinary person assumes, he nearly loses his home and position because of time devoted to experiments; and

before matters are finally and satisfactorily settled he barely escapes loss of his reputation. This danger appears through the almost simultaneous disappearance of his daughter and a friend and bottles of elixir and the appearance of two babies whose presence has been alarmingly successful. As Relyea, Fred Jones was particularly convincing, with his preliminary absent-mindedness and later his genuine concern for what he thought he'd accomplished; and in all other parts seniors were happily cast, speaking clearly always and moving easily on the stage.

Between the first and second acts, several students presented a clever sketch about four show people stranded sixty miles from their homes. In it, Mary Emma Powell and Evelyn Allard tap danced and Don Robinson and G. W. Zacher played separately on the saxophone and the clarinet. Basel Hessling, a constable who came to question the hikers, entertained them with his conversation and singing.

After the second act, Tris Marshall gave a monologue, "I'm a Poor Married Man", and Paul Jones, Basel Hessling, and Het Lambert sang together "Every Day" and "Isle of Golden Dreams".

Glenn S. Duncan, who directed the production, also executed a fittingly attractive setting for "Second Childhood". Miss Frances Burch had charge of the make up. Charles McMullin was manager, and Jack Barber, stage manager. Dorothy Lee Waller played for the sketches.

Graham Beauty School to Open Here June 1

Graham's academy of beauty culture and cosmetology will open on Saturday, June 1, Sam Graham, the owner and manager, announced Tuesday.

The school, which Mr. Graham intends to operate permanently, will be held in the east room of the McCoy-Tanner building's first floor, formerly occupied by the postoffice.

When carpenters, and electricians, painters finish their remodeling work in the room on Center street, Mr. Graham will have booths built, mirrors hung, and new equipment installed. Instructors hired for the school are persons licensed by the state and ones thoroughly trained because of numerous years of experience. The equipment they use will be complete and modern.

Mr. Graham will offer at his academy a six-months' or a 1000-hour course. Students enrolled may attend either day or night classes, or both, if they wish to finish the course quickly. Tuition prices for beginners will be less than those for professionals enrolled in the school.

High school graduates who have not decided upon careers will be especially invited by Mr. Graham to attend the academy classes, since jobs for competent beauty

shop operators are almost continuously open.

FREE INSTRUCTIONS IN CROCHETING WILL BE GIVEN AT STERLING'S

Free instruction in crocheting will be given at Sterling's store every Wednesday and Friday evenings, it was announced yesterday.

The first of a series of free lessons will be given tonight, then on each Wednesday and Friday of weeks following Classes will be held from 7:30 until 9 o'clock.

Two women, whose crocheting work may be seen at Sterling's store, will have charge of the classes. All residents of Sikeston and of nearby communities are invited to enroll.

STRIKE AFFECTS SIKESTON

The 500 union bakers who were on strike at 300 St. Louis bakeries Monday to demand a 10 per cent wage increase affected Sikeston. The Kroger, A. & P., and other stores which receive bread from St. Louis had small supplies Monday morning.

Programs Arranged For Graduation Exercises Here

Programs for the baccalaureate services at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and for commencement exercises at 8 Monday evening were announced Wednesday by Superintendent R. V. Ellise. Both exercises will be held in the high school auditorium.

The Rev. R. M. Talbert, pastor of the Christian church here, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon Sunday.

At the beginning of the service, the forty-five high school graduates will march to reserved seats while the school orchestra plays "Holy, Holy, Holy". After an invocation, a choir and the congregation will sing "My Faith Looks Up To Thee". The Rev. Mr. Talbert will give a scripture reading; and members of the girls' glee club will sing "Homing."

The services will end with a doxology, a benediction, and a recessional. "Onward, Christian Soldiers."

The commencement procession will be "America the Beautiful." Before Franc McCluer, president of Westminster College at Fulton, addresses graduates, an invocation will be given, the orchestra will play an overture, and the girls' glee club will sing two numbers: "The Starling" and "Gypsy Fires."

At the conclusion of the address, members of the boys' glee club will sing "On Great Lone Hills" and diplomas and awards will be presented. Two selections, "She Is So Innocent" and "The Spinning Song" will be sung by a girls' quartet before high school entrants are introduced and the recessional, "The Red and Black" is played.

These seniors will graduate: Frank Altom, Ramon Bandy, Junior Barger, Chester Conrad, Bob Bob Donnell, Murray Lynn Farr, Basel Hessling, Fred Jones, Jr., Paul Jones, Venson Jones, Het Lambert, James Lambert, John Layton, Charles McMullin, Clem Marshall, Tris Marshall, Glenn Matthews, Jr., Joe Matthews, Jr.,

Don Robinson, Marion Thrower, John Louis Wilson and Gust Zacher.

Evelyn Allard, Doris Mydland, Alma Branum, Rachel Ruth Branum, LaVerne Canoy, Gayle Collins, Louise Davis, Lillian Rita Derris, Margaret Fisher, Louise Gardner, Alleane Garrison, Pauline Husher, Helen Johnson, Adele Love, Mary Emma Powell, Mildred Rushing, Mary Margaret Russell, Mary Ethel Smith, Louis Ellen Tanner, Dorothy Lee Waller, Wantina Watson, Mildred Williams, and Pauline Young.

The following students are eighth grade graduates:

De Lisle Arbaugh, Lester Bailey, Ralph Baker, Billy Bess, Joe Bishop, Alan Bradshaw, Stanford Bradshaw, Clarence Byrd, Jessie Carroll, Junior Collins, Marvin Cunningham, Carol Davis, John Dover, Jimmie Fahrenkopf, Joseph Goldstein, Sibert Harden, Russell Heath, Rex Hudson, Essie Jines, Billy Fred Johnson, Paul Kelly, Edward Leech, Thomas Mathis, Myron Morrison, Robert Morrison, Eddie Orear, Dewell Reed, John Sturgeon, Harold Swanagan, Elwood Taylor, Russell Turner, Billy Van Arsdale, James Vinson, Carl Werneck, Arthur Williams.

Edna Arnett, Marietta Bloomfield, Juanita Boggan, Freida Mae Bryant, Catherine Ann Cook, Opal Crutchfield, Martha Delplane, Leota De Maris, Helen Vera Dudley, Louise Elliott, Jean Gardner, Ila Mae Gestring, Esther Jane Greer, Betty Jo Gross, Lorene Harris, Mary Emma Heath, Wanda Hinton, Marie Holden, Ruth Hollingsworth, Norma Hooker, Bernice Husher, Lavine Husher, Emily Kendall, Qwendon Kirk, Freda Lambert, Helen Lee, Elois Long, Alfreda Lynn, Ruth Malcolm, Martha Ellen Mason, Edith Milburn, Geraldine Moll, Mary Louise Montgomery, Ruth Morris, Ida Oliver, Dimpie Patterson, Challace Rabb, Rosemarie Schorde, Mary Jane Sikes, Agnes Skidmore, Alberta Thompson, Elmira Thrower, Rosemary Ward, and Maxine York.

Entrants for State Beauty Contest to be Chosen June 12

A contest to choose a Miss Sikeston to compete in a state beauty contest will be the feature of a unit show of the Missouri beauty pageant which will be staged here Thursday night, June 13, under the direction of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Entrants will parade in evening or sports clothes probably on the high school auditorium stage. From them one young woman will be chosen by a committee of at least three out-of-town judges, who are required to be unacquainted with any entrant in the show.

In addition to the beauty parade, the evening's program will include other attractions and a dance after the judges' decision has been announced.

The successful entrant will be given a free trip to Sedalia on

August 11 and 12. There she will represent Sikeston in a statewide beauty pageant to be held during the Missouri state fair, August 10 to 17, when she will compete with between 150 and 200 other winners for the title of Miss Missouri. If she is successful in winning this title, she will be sent to Atlantic City, N. J., the last week in August to represent Missouri at a national beauty pageant, competing for a title of Miss America, 1935.

Several unit shows, similar to the one held here, have been successfully staged in various Missouri cities since the Pettis county show opened the state campaign at Sedalia recently, when 114 young women sought the title. About 200 other local shows will be held throughout the state between now and the time of the state fair.

MISS LOUISE DAVIS WILL REPRESENT CITY AT BLUFF

Miss Louise Davis was chosen Wednesday afternoon to represent Sikeston at the Mardi Gras beauty contest in Poplar Bluff, May 25.

Selection of Miss Davis was made by delegates of four civic organizations, who were chosen by club presidents when plans to hold a beauty contest at the Malone theatre Monday night were dropped.

As Sikeston's entrant in the contest Miss Davis will receive a \$5 cash award and will compete with about twenty-five other young women for the title of Miss Southeast Missouri, which carries with it a \$50 prize.

Miss Davis, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Davis, is a member of the 1935 graduating class at the Sikeston high school. At the May fete held recently she was a maid of honor, attending Miss Helen Johnson.

These men were named to select a representative for the Poplar Bluff contest: Murray Phillips, Senior Chamber of Commerce; J. William Foley, American Legion post; Marion Sheldon, Junior Chamber of Commerce; and F. D. Lair, Lions club.

He had a string of polo ponies, a plane and private landing field, a yacht and a fortune of his own—but he had the misfortune to fall in love with a girl who broke his heart. Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

H. C. BLANTON TO SPEAK AT CATHOLIC CONVENTION

Harry C. Blanton of Sikeston, United States district attorney for eastern Missouri, will be among the speakers at a mass meeting in Cape Girardeau Sunday afternoon June 2, first day of a state Catholic Union convention.

Other speakers will include the Rt. Rev. C. H. Winklemann, auxiliary bishop of the archdiocese of St. Louis, and the Rev. A. H. Toebben of Apple Creek. Bishop Winklemann will also be celebrant at a high mass at St. Mary's Catholic church in Cape Girardeau at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, June 2.

After appearing at the mass meeting in the district teachers' college auditorium, Bishop Winklemann will stay in Cape Girardeau to address members of the St. Mary's high school graduating class Sunday night.

The convention will extend thru Monday and Tuesday, when group meetings will be held, and will end after a banquet Tuesday evening, June 4.

AUXILIARY TO MEET TONITE

The American Auxiliary will meet tonight with Mrs. G. W. Presnell. All members of the Auxiliary are urged to be present.

Welter's Honey Flake Wheat Bread, Natures Laxative. Made with crushed wheat and pure honey. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

Legion Decoration Day Services to be May 26

Decoration day services, sponsored annually by the Henry Mel-drum Post 114 of the American Legion, will be held this year on May 26, Earl Johnson, chairman, announced Wednesday.

Decoration day is on Thursday, May 30, but because weekday services are never well-attended, ceremonies will be held on the Sunday preceding May 30.

Gathering in Malone park a week from Sunday, persons participating in the program will

march at 1:30 to the Sikeston city cemetery, where speeches and musical numbers will be heard, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Invitations to join the parade will be issued to members of these organizations: Boy and Girl Scout groups, Spanish-American war veterans; D. A. R., the Legion auxiliary; and the U. D. C. Legionnaires will also march. And students in the school band will play, as will drum and bugle corps members.

Speakers for the services will be announced later.

People May Build Homes Under Government Plan

The better housing drive campaign here has been so successful and farming conditions are so satisfactory that residents are facing the possibility of not having enough mechanics for remodeling work, Wharton Clay, a special assistant to the industries director in Washington, was told, said while he was here Wednesday. Sikeston, he said, was the first town in which he could truthfully make that statement. According to totals compiled at the better housing drive office here, canvassers secured 67 pledges for work valued at \$15,000 during the first two weeks of their drive. Results of this week's activities will not be tabulated until Saturday. Besides working on these jobs, members of the building trade will construct between 75 and 100 houses in Sikeston this year, according to John A. Young, general chairman of the campaign.

The government is now ready to help reliable people build homes under a plan closely related to the federal housing activities for alteration and repair. Wharton Clay, a special assistant to the industries director in Washington, D. C., told contractors, business men, and Sikeston better housing drive workers at a meeting here Wednesday afternoon. Under the title one of the federal housing act, loans could be insured by the government only for remodeling work. Title two, which has recently been perfected, provides for financing new construction.

Junior Chamber Here Condemns National Body

A resolution expressing dissatisfaction because the national Chamber of Commerce has entered national politics by criticizing the administration was approved by Junior Chamber of Commerce members at a dinner meeting Tuesday.

The resolution, which was signed by Kemper Bruton, president, and C. H. Moose, secretary after its passage, was introduced because organization members here believe chambers of commerce should not enter politics. It is reprinted below.

WHEREAS, the National Chamber of Commerce of the United States while acting as a representative of business throughout the nation did, on May 2nd, 1935, by resolution to the President of the United States, criticize and express dissatisfaction with the present administration policies of the National Government,

WHEREAS, the Sikeston Junior Chamber of Commerce of Sikeston, Missouri, desires and wishes to eliminate all political issues and expressions from its organization, so therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be placed in the records of the Sikeston Junior Chamber of Commerce as expressing the sentiment of the organization.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Episcopal church services will be held at the local Christian church Sunday evening, May 19, at 7:30 o'clock with Rev. A. H. Beardsley in charge.

Join the society Merry-Go-Round with the polo set and the cocktail crowd! They've been Around as you will see in "T've

The government, Mr. Cary said, will insure as much as 80 per cent of loans for a maximum period of twenty years. Officials will require, however, that the borrower make regular monthly payments on his loan and that he have an income at least five times as much as the amount of these payments. He must be a good risk. To apply for a commitment, which will show that the government will insure a designated amount of a certain sized loan, a person desiring to borrow must send to housing headquarters in St. Louis \$3 for each \$1000 of the proposed loan. Coming here, an appraiser will determine if the neighborhood where the house is located is advancing and if the size of the house corresponds to others in the neighborhood. He will examine, too, plans and specifications drawn for the proposed house.

Government officials will be particularly glad to help persons who have vacant lots. They will also insure loans for a house and lot a man may want to buy. The actual loans, of course, are made by private lending agencies. Persons wanting complete information on the financing of new construction under the federal housing act may talk with Miss Ann Beck, supervisor of the Sikeston better housing campaign.

Joseph A. Hacker, of St. Louis, a field representative of the federal housing administration, accompanied Mr. Clay here, introducing him after he had talked briefly and after a visomatic reel concerning the purposes, functions, and success of the better housing drives had been shown.

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ART WALLHAUSEN IN POPLAR BLUFF REPUBLIC

It comes on good authority that the following was told at the annual journalism banquet held at Columbia, Mo., last week. About 600 Missouri scribes, scribes-to-be and others who just happened to have \$1.50 were there.

At any rate one of the speakers interpreted a fine point in terms of the matronly soul who viewed everything that moved or had its being in terms of bridge. She ate bridge, slept bridge, lived bridge.

An approaching "blessed event" interrupted her bridge routine and as she awoke at the hospital after the ordeal she glanced over at two bright and very red young faces. With a sigh of resignation she turned to the nurse and said, "Well, I knew I was vulnerable but I had no idea I was doubled."

And that is that.

The story is a first cousin to the one told at a recent exclusive club in Poplar Bluff regarding the political leader who had paced the floor for hours and hours. While garbed figures slithered, hither and thither, with nary a word from the room in which he was most interested.

Finally a head poked from the doorway. The nurse beamed proudly "You are the father", she said, "of triplets."

And quick as a flash he retorted, "I don't believe it. I demand a recount."

FARMERS' EXCHANGE PLAN SUCCESSFUL IN SIKESTON

A medium of exchange in the form of community sales, established for farmers not long ago by Glenn Matthews and R. A. McCord has been unusually successful. Mr. McCord said Wednesday. From throughout the district residents bring stock and articles of all kinds to the Matthews wagon yard here, where sales are held every other Saturday.

Farmers like to bring their cattle, implements, cars, and household furnishings here because the commission charged by Mr. Matthews and Mr. McCord is substantially lower than that assessed by other community sale promoters of this district. And residents and other farmers gather in great groups at the sales here because of the wide variety and the value of the items offered.

Once before Mr. Matthews and Mr. McCord tried to start community sales in Sikeston with less success and they abandoned the notion for a time. Now, however, the response is so satisfactory they intend to continue the sales indefinitely.

RESIDENT'S MOTHER DIES

Mrs. Susan Crites, the mother of Christian Crites of Sikeston, died Monday afternoon at the home of a son, Ferdinand Crites, near Patton. Mrs. Crites died of paralysis after an illness of three weeks.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Flatwood church. Mrs. Crites, who was 92 years old at the time of her death, was thought to be the oldest woman resident of Bollinger county. She had eighty-four descendants; seven children, thirty-one grandchildren, forty-five great grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

MRS. BARNEY WAGNER'S BROTHER DIED TUESDAY

Peter Belkin of Fredericktown, a brother of Mrs. Barney Wagner of Sikeston, died of pneumonia shortly after midnight Monday.

At noon Tuesday Mrs. Wagner and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William DeKriek, left from Fredericktown, where they intended to stay until after the funeral services.

Mr. Belkin, who was 73 years old at the time of his death, was a prominent stock raiser of Fredericktown. He is survived by several brothers and sisters.

J. EDWARDS' CAR BADLY DAMAGED IN COLLISION

A Ford V-8 automobile owned by John Edwards was badly damaged late Monday afternoon when it and a one-ton truck collided at the intersection of East and Matthews streets. Repairs will cost about \$100 it is estimated. The truck was only slightly damaged.

At the time of the accident, Willie Harris, a negro employe of Mr. Edwards, was driving the car west on Matthews, and Lee Mason was driving his model A truck south on East. At the crossing the fronts of the truck hit the rear of the car, the impact swinging the Ford automobile around and into a telephone pole.

RED PEPPERS TO HAVE BANQUET AND DANCE

Members of the Red Pepper Squad of 1935 will attend a banquet at Gross's Cafe Friday evening, May 17, at 7:30 o'clock, with Miss Betty Belle Donnell as toastmistress. Mrs. Gordon Barks of Charleston, nee Miss Dorothy McKee, former sponsor of the Red Peppers, will be special guest at the occasion.

Following the banquet the group will sponsor a dance at the high school gymnasium, beginning at 9:30 o'clock, to which all former Red Peppers and their escorts, are invited.

The new Brother is Welter's De Luxe Egg Bread. Made of pure creamery butter and strictly fresh eggs. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

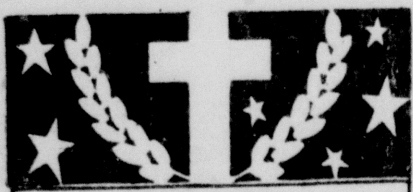
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The many chain letters that have reached the editors' desk have found a safe refuge in the waste basket where they reposed until carried out and burned by the office boy. Life is too short to be fooled by such a nonsensical game as the chain letter or the chain gang.

Announcements are out for the closing exercises of the Southeast Missouri Teachers College at Cape Girardeau, which event is May 19th to 22nd. This has been a very satisfactory and successful term and under the present faculty the future seems unusually bright.

The New Deal continues to tolerate strikes, which proves that in this respect it is no better than the Old Deal. Things might be helped some by notice from Washington that any man who quits a job by joining a strike will be ineligible to a place on Government employment rolls.—Paris Appeal.

We are of the opinion that enemies of the New Deal have picked a mighty bad time for flying their biggest flag of distress. With one-fourth the population busy digging fishing worms, one-fourth picking wild flowers, one-fourth planting garden and the other fourth up to its ears in housecleaning, those pessimists just can't get a patient hearing.—Paris Appeal.

We asked Bildad Botts, our eminent research expert, what he considered the greatest need of the times. He replied that it was a school of instruction for presiding officers. Pressed for particulars, Bildad dug from his files a bundle of statistics which showed

that 17,983 people had died of old age in this country during the 12 months while waiting for presiding officers to run out of talk, that 879 had suffered nervous breakdowns from the strain of trying to keep awake, and that 23,007 married men had gone home from banquets and whipped their wives because of ill tempers that had been aroused while presiding officers were making introductory speeches or otherwise prolonging the program. Here is another thing the New Deal seems to have overlooked.—Paris Appeal

If we had our life to live over and know as much of human nature as we now do, we would select the newspaper as a profession, seek just such a city as Sikeston, where we know everybody, can speak to white and black alike and be recognized in return. We would try and prepare ourselves with a high school education, take a college course with the idea of studying human nature from the highest to the lowest degree in order that we could feel for the man who never had an opportunity as well as he who had everything. We would want God to give us a clean heart, guide us in the way of being a real help to the community, to help us soothe aching hearts in times of stress and provide us with sufficient means to alleviate suffering and make others happy. This would be an ideal life.

EXPLAIN AAA AMENDMENTS

County Agent Gives Brief Summary of Proposed Changes

Many Scott County farmers are asking for an impartial explanation of the proposed amendments to the Agricultural Adjustment Act now pending in Congress. In answer to all such inquiries County Agent R. L. Furry, offers the following brief summary of facts.

The Agricultural Adjustment Act was placed on Statute books at a time when American farmers were on the verge of bankruptcy and when the collapse of their purchasing power threatened also to destroy our entire economic structure.

The act brought the power of government to the aid of farmers, to enable them to do three things that are indispensable to farm recovery: (1) To reduce the price-depressing surpluses, (2) To adjust production and keep it in balance with market demand, and (3) To bargain effectively with distributors and handlers of farm products in order that farmers

might get fair prices and a fair deal.

In addition, the Act laid down a mandate that the interests of consumers should be safeguarded.

Under the terms of the Act, production adjustment programs effecting more than 3,000,000 farmers have been carried out. Marketing agreements and licenses affecting several hundred thousand others have also been placed in effect.

While the intent of Congress was evidently to make the provision of the Act flexible, so that in one way or another it might be of benefit to all groups of farmers in all parts of the country, experience has shown that it needs to be strengthened at certain points so that some groups may not be left out of its benefits, and the general provisions of the Act made more effective in serving the interests of all agriculture. This, in brief, is the reason why the amendments now before Congress have been proposed.

The first purpose of the amendments is to make the Act effective for all groups of farmers.

The second purpose is to increase the effectiveness of the Act as related to basic commodities, with changes providing for the coordination of commodity loans and production adjustment programs.

The third purpose is to protect consumers against unwarranted price increases by processors and handlers of farm products.

At least 2,000,000 producers of milk, vegetables, fruits, nuts, and some other commodities do not find it practicable to work thru production adjustment programs of the type used by producers of corn, hogs, wheat, cotton and tobacco. But these producers can come under the Agricultural Adjustment Act through marketing agreements between the Secretary of Agriculture and the processors or handlers of their products.

However, if a majority of the processors or handlers of a given commodity should refuse to cooperate with the producers of that commodity by participation in a marketing agreement, the producers as a group could do nothing if the Government lacked power to carry out the farmers' plan through licensing the processors. The producers in that class would be forced to deal on whatever terms the processors or handlers wished to impose.

One of the chief purposes of the AAA amendments, therefore, is to give the Government authority to license the handlers concerned in such a case.

The amendments would also authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to make rental or benefit payments for "adjustment" rather than "reduction" of acreage or production. They would also provide for the coordination of commodity loans and production adjustment programs, in the direction of the "Ever Normal Granary" plan.

In granting loans to farmers on their products, the Government may come into possession of considerable quantities of these products, pledged by farmers as security. It may be advisable to hold these products until the market can absorb them normally. In many cases, especially under favorable market conditions, farmers would be glad to have their security back again, to use on the farm or sell as they wished. Under the proposed amendments such products could be returned to farmers when they so desired, in place of cash benefit payments.

Under the plan, the excess from a large harvest could be held over to balance the shortage of a lean harvest. This would apply not only to human food, but to feed for animals.

The "Ever-Normal Granary" plan, described above, has for one of its most important objects the protection of consumers by safeguarding their food supply.

Protection for the consumers would be provided in that section of the amendments, which authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to examine the books and records of processors and handlers who are parties to a marketing agreement or who come under the forms of a license. This provision seeks to insure that marketing agreements and licenses will not be used merely as a means of increasing return to processors and handlers at the expense of both producers and consumers.

BUILDING A BETTER STATE

The Dependent and Neglected Child in the Depression

By Florence M. Pharo

Children of the white-collar class as well as those of other classes have come into the care of child welfare organizations as a

backwash from the economic situation, according to a recent survey by the Child Welfare League of America, New York City.

C. C. Carstens, executive director of the League, cites as an instance a family of four children with parents having college background. The father lost a fair-sized business of which he had been proprietor; the mother died from tuberculosis; the children were all pre-tuberculous. Two of the children were accepted by relatives, and two by a social agency. This triple calamity—involving home, work and health—is attributed to the depression.

"Wherever possible," says Mr. Carstens, "we are saving their families for children instead of finding new ones for them."

While widespread distribution of relief has kept many families intact, he states, it has at the same time kept many children in homes or in situations that are unsuitable or often degrading.

Relief workers, he points out, usually do not know their families well enough to find demoralizing conditions or do not have the time to give close attention to social conditions. Beside many courts are more lenient, through financial necessity, and will not easily remove children from such conditions.

"We are not a 'United States' at all in our care of children," says Mr. Carstens. "We are just forty-eight little republics—and then some."

He predicts that although children's organizations have been as busy as they could very well be during the past year, they will have greater demands made upon them during the coming year.

"Communities should come to realize," he declares, "that a decrease in budgets for the care of dependent and neglected children will only cause greater demands for protection and service to the children later on. Boards of directors have the obligation resting upon them to keep the organizations well-equipped for the service that they are now being called upon to render and that will come later in larger measure."

The survey by the child welfare league of America showed that parents and relatives can pay less than half as much as they

did three years ago toward the support of children who must live in foster-care institutions or foster families.

During the last six months of 1933, 59 organizations for which the League has comparable figures received a little over \$150,000 from parents and relatives to care whereas during the last six months of 1930 the amount received was over \$300,000. A 30 per cent decrease is shown in the amount received by 74 organizations from July 1 to December 31, 1933, as compared with the same period in 1932. Mr. Carstens believes this amount will show still further decreases this year.

Jame Earl Barnett, C.M.M., U. S. Navy, has a letter in his possession which he prizes above all other letters. It is doubtful whether anyone else in the United States Navy has a letter like the one Barnett has, for Barnett had to "die" to get it. The unique experience dates back to 1925, when Barnett was serving on the submarine S-20. He developed acute appendicitis while the Sub was at sea, and was unconscious for thirty-six hours. When he became unconscious the pharmacist's mate pronounced him dead, as did the captain and other officers. Notification of his death was promptly sent to the Secretary of the Navy, and the Secretary of the Navy in turn promptly sent a letter of sympathy to Chief Barnett's Mother. When the Sub reached port, a medical officer was called. He examined the "corpse" and was surprised to find that the "dead" man's pulse was beating slowly. Barnett was rushed to the Naval Hospital at Portsmouth, N. H., and a month later he emerged from the hospital minus his appendix, but very much alive. Today, Barnett, ready to get into the Fleet Naval Re-

serve, has the letter from the Secretary of the Navy proclaiming his death. He is proud of that letter, because in it the Secretary of the Navy said that he was a fine upright man, well liked by those who knew him and that his loss was keenly felt by all.

Do not neglect to get your license before going fishing. Licenses must be signed and carried while in field and stream. Get your license NOW and be ready to "Go Fishing" when the season opens Decoration Day. All species of game fish will be eligible for the Creel May 30th. The season on

channel cat, however, will close the 31st for forty-five days, to reopen July 15th. The trout season, open since March 1st, will continue open until October 31st.

Mike Shenselyne, 6, was taken by his mother to a dentist at Windber, Pa., for a tooth extraction. Mike refused a local anesthetic. When the dentist, on orders of the mother, proceeded with the extraction, Mike jumped out of the chair, holding his breath. Within a few minutes he died. Physicians said death was caused by asphyxiation, resulting from fright.

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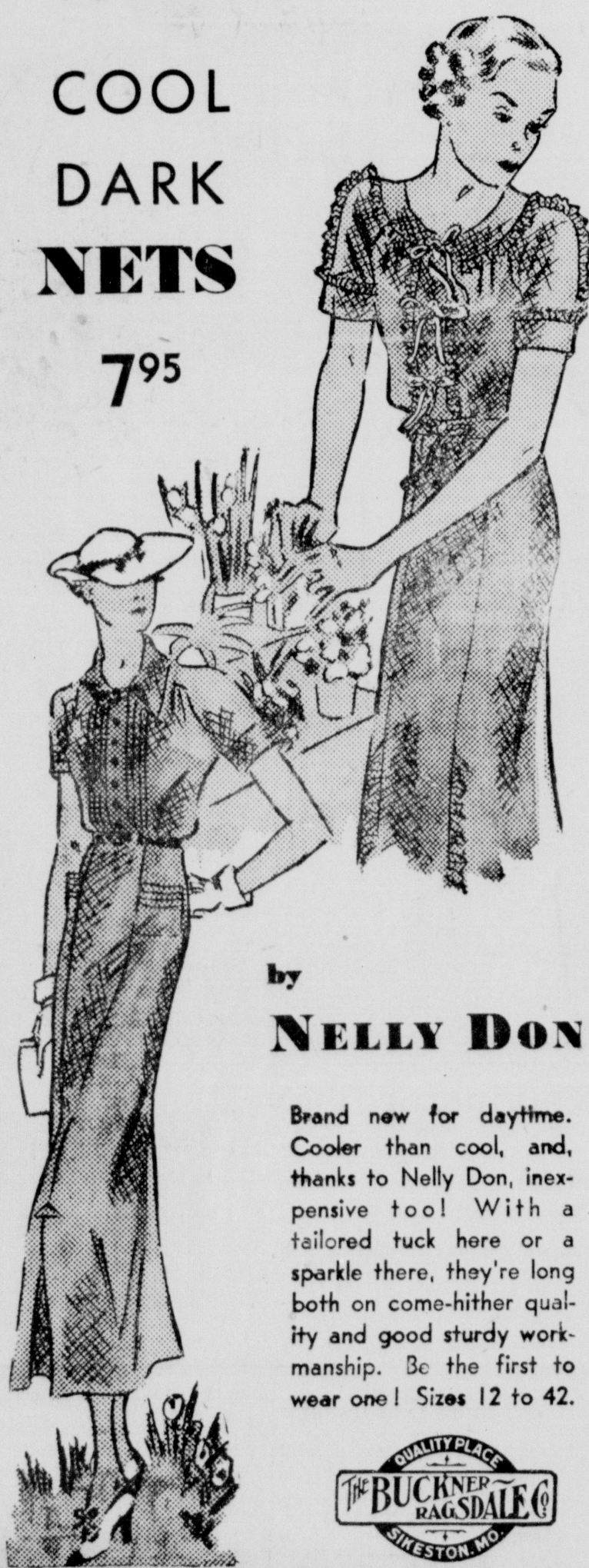
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EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY

Personal and Society News From Oran

Mrs. Jerome Blocker and Mrs. Mary Shingler were shopping in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. Engle and daughters, Misses Minnie and Amanda were Sikeston visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Baty who is taking a course in beauty culture in Cape Girardeau was quite sick a few days last week. She expects to open a first class, up-to-date beauty parlor in the early fall.

Mrs. Rose Wolfe of Ste. Genevieve came down for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metz, Sr., and to help them celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Tom Baty had business in Sikeston Saturday.

R. W. Harper was in Memphis last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stehr spent mother's Day in Cape Girardeau with their daughter, Mrs. John Knap.

Miss Anna Grice spent Mother's Day at home, returning to Cape Girardeau Monday, where she is under the care of a physician.

Mrs. Kimes was here from Chaffee Friday afternoon.

The stock of dry goods of the Mercantile Co., has been moved in the grocery side, and the entire room re-decorated. It is now much more convenient. C. L. Halford has moved his shoe and harness shop in the front half of the room vacated by the Mercantile Co. Mr. Metz continuing to use the back part. Mr. Halford now has plenty of room.

Mr. Gleason has been painting at the W. A. Maddox store. Mr. Maddox has installed a large Frigidaire meat box and will carry a complete line of meat and has also enlarged his grocery department, now occupying the entire room.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley were among those from here who enjoyed the excursion from Cape Girardeau last week on the steamer Capitol.

The Leo Geisner family spent the week-end in Perryville with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burrus and small daughter of Flat River spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Odda Dunning and little daughter, Joan came home last week from a ten day's visit in St. Louis.

Earl Crader and family moved up from Diehlstadt Saturday, for the summer.

Miss Carra Adams made a business visit in Sikeston Saturday.

Several of the men of the Baptist church attended the Brotherhood banquet in Charleston last Thursday night.

The Crader and Dillingham families attended the commencement exercises in Diehlstadt Thursday night of last week. Paul Crader was a member of the graduating class.

Mrs. Volkert went to De Soto Saturday for a two weeks' visit and also to be present at the graduation of her daughter, Miss Maxine Forrester.

Mrs. Grover Blocker was shopping in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Sunday was the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Uncle Frank Metz and wife and a family dinner was given in their honor at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Joe Vogel. Four of their children were present, the only one unable to attend being Mrs. Caroline Burkhart of Michigan. 15 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren and several relatives from Advance were present. The ladies brought well filled baskets and a fine dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Metz have a host of friends who hope they will be able to celebrate many more anniversaries.

Sunday was also the 57th birthday of Mrs. Frank Mier and a surprise dinner was given by his wife. Relatives and friends from Oran, Sikeston, Randles, Perkins and Harrisburg were present and all enjoyed the bountiful dinner. Mr. Mier received several nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mabry and

son of Fornfelt were here Friday. Mrs. Mabry's mother Mrs. Myers, who has been visiting them the past week came home.

There was a beautiful mother's day service at the M. E. church Sunday morning. Several special musical numbers were given. A mother and daughter, Mrs. Jas. Bowman and Miss Edna received into church membership and a beautiful bouquet given to Mrs. Lillie Watts for being the oldest mother present and to Mrs. Le Roy Poe, the youngest mother there. Rev. Hansford also preached an excellent sermon. There were no services Sunday night, due to the bacalaureate sermon being preached in the high school auditorium. Closing exercises of the grade school were held Tuesday night.

Mrs. Ralph Wommack and Mrs. J. W. Farris of Bloomfield visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hansford Friday afternoon of last week, bringing with them Billy Couch, grandson of Mrs. Farris, who came to spend the week end with his chum, Bryan Lee Hansford. Sunday afternoon Senator J. W. Farris and Mrs. Farris came after their grandson and visited for a short time in the Hansford home.

Rev. Herbert Holley and Mr. A. J. Rushing, Jr., of Bertrand paid a short visit to the Hansford home just before the County Young Peoples' Union Monday evening.

MISS ELIZABETH PEAL IS WED TO BILL SPENCER

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., May 13.—The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Peal of this city, and Bill Spencer of Benton, Mo., has been announced, the ceremony taking place in Marion, Ark., on March 30.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Attorney and Mrs. Elmer

Peal of this city. She is a graduate of the local high school, receiving her higher education in the Caruthersville Junior College, later graduating from Central College at Fayette, Mo., and also attended the University of Missouri at Columbia. For the past year she had been a member of the grammar school faculty here.

Mr. Spencer is the son of Probate Judge and Mrs. Oscar Spencer of Benton. He was graduated from Central College at Fayette. He is a member of the school faculty at Benton.

Chaffee School Has New Head

Fred Lewallen, for several years head of schools in the Aniston consolidated district, was elected superintendent of the Chaffee schools Monday night by members of the board of education. Mr. Lewallen will succeed Charles Scott.

1738 CHILDREN LIVE IN TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Seventeen hundred and thirty-eight children between the ages of 6 and 19 inclusive live in the Sikeston school district, according to an enumeration filed Wednesday at the Scott county clerk's office in Benton.

Of this number, 1555 are white children, 785 of them boys and 770 girls. One hundred and eighty-three negroes of school age live in the district: 88 boys and 95 girls.

Many of these children do not attend school. The district includes, besides the space within the city limits, an area north to the Y and east and west a mile.

FINED \$22 ON 5 COUNTS

Harrell Matthews was fined \$3 and costs on each of five counts late Monday when he pled guilty in police court to charges filed

against him after his arrest Saturday by Night Marshall Gid Daniels.

Matthews was accused of being drunk, of disorderly conduct, of taking light bulbs from sockets and breaking them on a residence porch, and of yelling and disturbing the peace after he had been put in jail.

His fines totaled \$22. He was committed to jail until they are paid in cash or labor.

In police court, too, Geene Oliver and Ray Chaney were each fined \$3 and costs for drunkenness. Chaney is working out his fine on the streets. Ora Lee Phillips, a negro woman, was fined the same amount for being drunk and for fighting.

CHARLESTON GOLFERS DEFEAT CAPE GIRARDEAU

Charleston, May 13.—The golf-

ers of the Charleston Country Club defeated the stroke of the Hillcrest Country Club of Cape Girardeau in a Southeast Missouri Golf association round robin tournament, played here yesterday afternoon, 34-6.

This was Charleston's first victory of the season, they having lost their first match, to Sikeston. The Charleston club will take a team to Hayti next Sunday.

E. L. McClintock of Cape Girardeau took the low card honors of the tourney yesterday, turning in a 77 for the 18 holes. Lanier Byrd of Charleston was the low shooter for Charleston, carding an 81 for the 18 holes.

Twenty-eight men took part in the match, Cape bringing down fourteen men.

An Invitation to the Coroner

Your chances of being involved

in a fatal automobile accident are much greater on highways than anywhere else. Bad as the urban accident rate is, the death toll is mounting fastest in rural territories, even through traffic is less dense.

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The reason isn't hard to find. The modern highway is wide and smooth, rarely congested. It looks safe as your own back yard. And, as a consequence, thousands of drivers relax behind the wheel, and step hard on the accelerator. When a crisis arrives, they react too slowly, or are going too fast

to avoid a smash—and death follows.

That is especially worth remembering, now, with the appearance of summer. Most motorists will be making trips into the country—and they should keep in mind the unhappy fact that somnolence on the highways is an invitation to the coroner.

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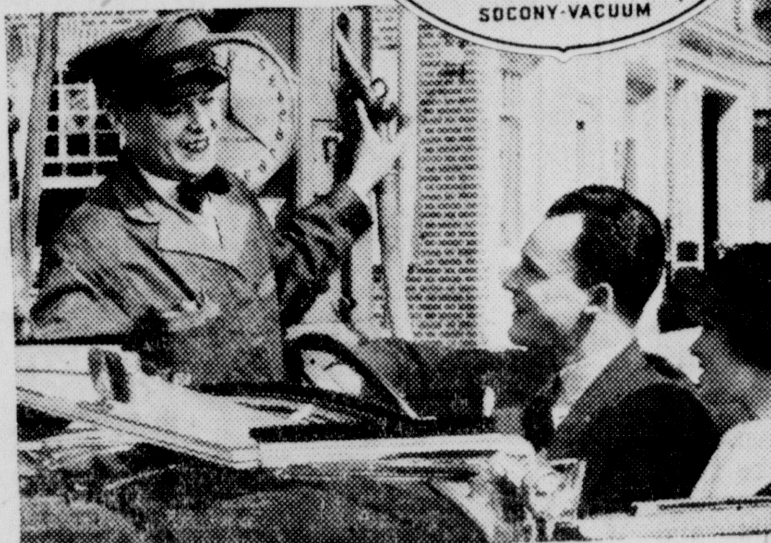


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Harry L. Hopkins, whose function is to expedite public works as fast as allotments are made, has appointed Matthew S. Murray of Kansas City as his aid in Missouri. Mr. Murray for some years has been Director of Public Works in Kansas City, an office to which he was drafted from the Missouri Highway Department. As chairman of the Plans and Specifications Bureau of the Highway Department, he made an excellent record. Mr. Murray's qualifications to expedite public works in Missouri under the \$4,880,000,000 Work Relief Act are admirable. He is one of the men to whom Missouri is obligated for one of the finest highway systems in the nation. He gave a good account of himself in road work when he was a citizen of Sikeston, and he has given a good account of himself in Kansas City and Jefferson City. For present purposes, Kansas City has given him a year's leave of absence. The State will feel that in returning to Jefferson City to become M. Hopkins' accelerator, Mr. Murray will continue his record of fine public work. Post-Dispatch.

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Missourians Activities in Washington

By Foust Roper

WASHINGTON, May 15—Construction of neighborhood roads throughout rural America will give employment to more people, as well as benefit more people, than any other work according to Representative William L. Nelson, who has begun an intensive drive for the building of serviceable, yet inexpensive, roads from the \$4,880,000,000 work relief bill.

Quick, widespread employment would be the effect of such a program. The Columbia congressman asserted: "It is estimated 90 cents out of every dollar would go for labor—in other words, do the things that most needs to be done: put men to work. Nor need there be any long delay. Hundreds of thousands of men can be on the job within thirty days after such a project has been approved."

At an average cost of \$3000 a mile of such all-weather roads could be built for a mere one-sixteenth of the amount carried in the large appropriation. Mr. Nelson is insistent upon requirement that preference be given local labor.

Economy Move

Senator Ashurst: Inasmuch as it is impossible for me to reply to all these telegrams I ask that these telegrams be printed in the Record.

Senator Clark: Mr. President I have no intention of objecting to the request of the senator from Arizona, but I should like to suggest that I have on my desk telegrams which I have received within the last two days to the number of 200 by actual count; and if the senator is going to have the telegrams received by him printed in the Record and every other member of the senate is going to have the telegrams received by him printed in the Record, the Record will expand to unheard-of proportions. So far as I am concerned, as I have said I do not intend to object to the request of the senator from Arizona, but I will object to the request of any other senator to print a lot of telegrams in the Record.—Congressional Record.

The telegrams referred to mainly were in support of the bonus, and following Senator Clark's remarks, none was printed. Cost of printing would have been more than \$55 a page.

Bitter Medicine

A painful throat infection finally drove Representative Wood to consult a physician, who advised the Springfield, Mo., solon temporarily to give up smoking and talking.

"I can lay off cigarettes," Wood remarked to a friend, "but telling a congressman not to talk is like telling a duck not to swim."

Mo. Delegation Scores

Only forty-nine "public acts" had been enacted by congress up to last week. Of these, two applied to Missouri, one granting the Missouri State Highway department authority to build a bridge across Eleven Points river near Alton, in Oregon county, and the other an act extending time for construction of a bridge across the Missouri river at St. Charles, Mo.

Missouri was the only state whose representatives had been able to push two bills into the small amount of legislation which has passed this session.

Truman on Utilities

Senator Truman's office has asked aid in circulating his view on holding companies. Realizing he could never answer all the letters which poured in, the senator recently wrote a number of Missouri papers, taking that manner of replying. In case you did not read it, his stand is as follows:

"My opinion is that regulation is absolutely essential for the holding companies. I also believe that some measure of protection must be given the investing public against the blue sky operator and the unscrupulous promoter who have used the holding companies as a means to rob the small investor."

"My vote will be cast in accord with this view when this legislation comes up before the senate."

Miscellaneous

Representative Nelson has won his point with the Federal Land Bank and the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; you can now borrow money on property covered by policies in farmer's mutual fire insurance. The government agencies previously had not considered policies in farmers' mutuals as acceptable.

Senator Clark was the main speaker at a luncheon here Saturday of the National Council for Prevention of war. Senator Cutting's tragic death caused more than mere formal grief among those who knew him. Senator Truman, Representative Bell and William A. Kitchen, state commander of the American Legion, last week presented formal invitations to the Legion national convention in St. Louis this year to President Roosevelt and Gen. John J. Pershing. The World War leader hopes to attend and also visit his birthplace, Laclede, Mo., at which place Representative Romjue is advocating location of a Pershing memorial park. The Saturday Evening Post is full of criticism of the New Deal these days. Yet it hit 132 pages last week and is consistently over one hundred each issue these days—as compared to 60 and 70 during the "rugged individualism" era. Gratitude!

Personal And
Society Items
From Morehouse

Miss Margaret Patterson of Carrollton, Mo., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Patterson. Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Fisher spent the week-end in Chicago, Ill., and Logansport, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Edwards, of Sikeston were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards, Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Chatron of St. Louis visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McFarling, over the week-end. She was accompanied home by her mother.

Mrs. John Williams of Pine Bluff, Ark., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira Menees.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Schaffer of St. Louis moved here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Russel Beinert and family spent Sunday in Chaffee, Mo.

What can these society youngsters expect from life? Meet the daredevil blueblood who had everything his heart desired except happiness! Meet the debutante heart-breaker who for spite, married the man she did not love! Meet the society pirate who prayed on love and loved for money! Meet the Park avenue Debutante who wasn't happy unless she had another girl's man! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Wilkins of Benton, Ky., spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Comer of Chicago, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Brown is very sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Legate of Essex visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reeves, Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. D. Martin of Vanduser were guests of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Fox.

City Marshall Wm. James and wife purchased a new oldsmobile, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Legate of Essex spent Mother's Day with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate.

Rev. John Fowler returned from Tennessee where he had been holding a revival.

THANKS

School Students

We want to express our thanks to the pupils of the high school for their patronage during the 1934-35 term of school which is closing this week.

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Mr. Jess Johnson of Cape Girardeau and Miss Alta Alberts of Illinois, visited Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Saturday evening.

Rev. G. R. Tyler, of Campbell, Mo., was guests of Rev. A. C. Sullivan, Saturday.

Love, hurt, disillusion, and parting—nights of revel and days of regret—Then an unexpected climax to the most gala of all nights—New year's eve! What happened between the most eligible bachelor among the bluebloods and the most desirable of the season's Debutantes! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

Jessie Crouch of Lansing, Kan., came Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Wiley F. Wofford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boyer who were called here by the latter's mother, due to illness, a few days ago, are in Tenn., on business this week and will be here Saturday to accompany Mrs. Atkinson to the hospital at St. Louis.

Libbourn Headlee fell asleep Sunday morning near Advance, as he was coming home and ran into the bannister of a bridge, throwing his car into a ditch and turned over, the car's almost a total wreck, and Libbourn has some severe lacerations and abrasions on his head. But at that it was a lucky escape.

Mrs. Maud Chapman of Gideon is visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Dunfee and children.

Mrs. Monroe Dement of Malden is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bradshaw.

Mr. Marshall Puckett of St. Louis, spent the week-end here with his wife.

Mr. Edgie and Charles Sullivan of Paducah, Ky., spent Sunday here with their mother, Mrs. H. E. Sullivan.

Mr. Marshall Puckett of St. Louis spent the week end here with his wife.

A group of 35 from here attended a Nazarene revival at Malden, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook and family of Benton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Menees, Sunday.

Ordination services were held at the Baptist church, Thursday night. Rev. W. B. Parrott of Dexter delivered the address. Three deacons were ordained, namely, John Shipman, Bill Bryant, and Orlanzo Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Comer of Sikeston visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer, Sunday.

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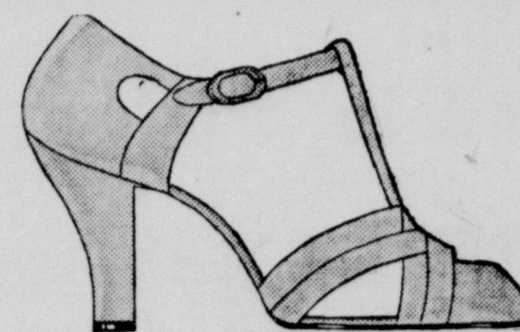
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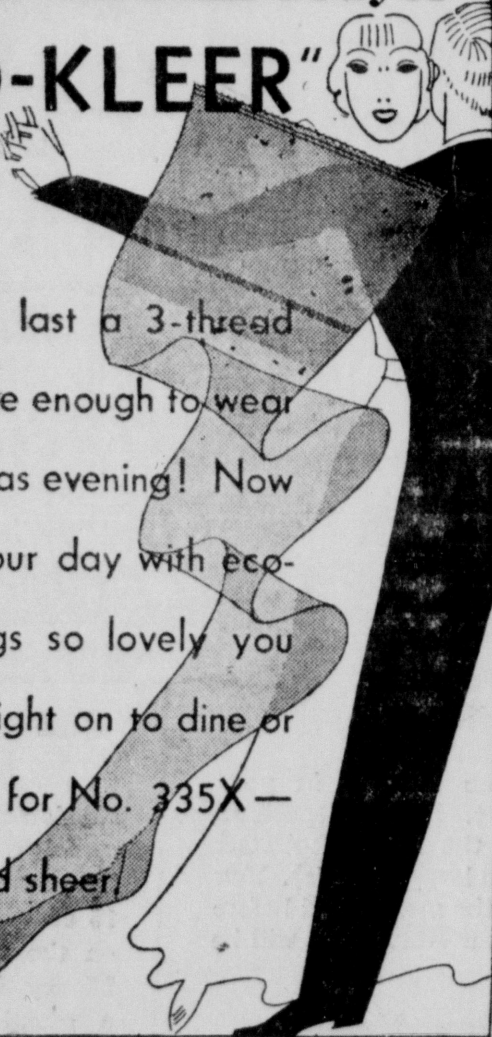
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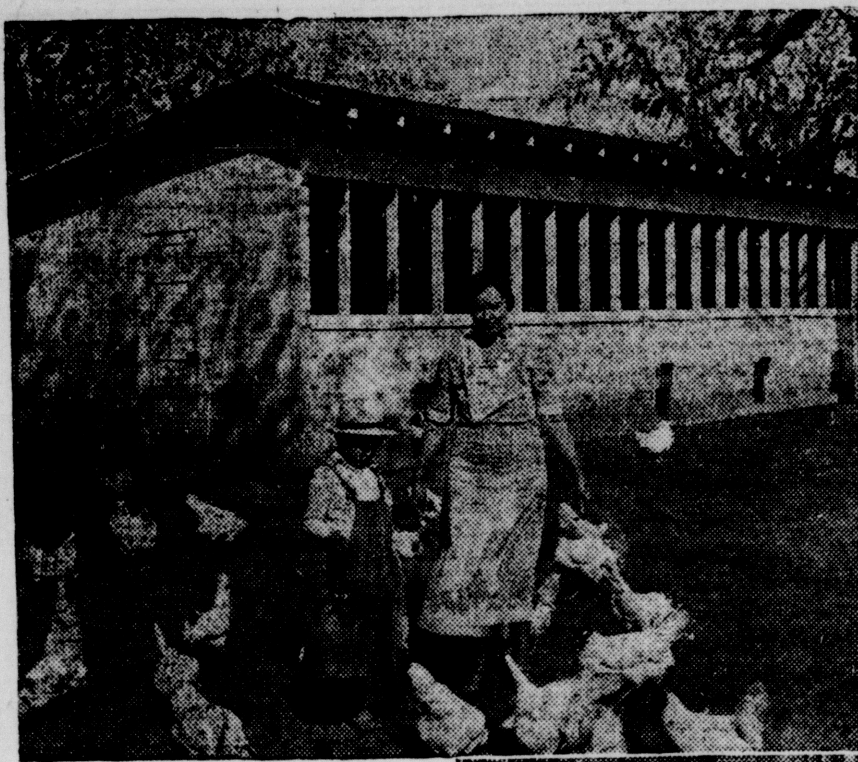
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TERMITE CONTROL

Several inquiries have come in to the County Agent's office regarding infestation of homes by termites. Termites are more commonly called "flying ants" and are rather difficult to control. These pests are usually "denied" around an old shrub, stump, or decaying tree near the house. They usually begin by working in the sills, especially those that are partially decayed and from there find a way into the house.

The most trouble is likely to be caused in houses which are low on the ground and poorly ventilated underneath. In order to combat these pests, the house should be raised and put on a brick or concrete foundation, and allow for good ventilation underneath the house. Locate where the termites are coming into the house and use kerosene, creosote or gasoline. This calls for care as to fire for a time. Then locate their quarters on the outside and destroy. If you are having trouble your county Agent will be glad to discuss the problem with you.

MODERN PLUMBING DEVICES VARIED

New Developments Combine Beauty with Utility in Bathroom Scheme

The marketing of modern plumbing fixtures in colors has made it possible for the bathroom to be relieved from a purpose of mere utility, and transformed into the most interesting room of the house. So varied are the shades obtainable that schemes which express one's individuality can be evolved with ease in the moderate priced residence as well as the more pretentious home.

Simplicity is the main requirement of an attractive bathroom. It can be achieved by starting with the fixtures, whose color will dominate the scheme and determine the tone of the room. Flooring, wall finish and drapes can then be chosen to harmonize; and a highly attractive bathroom will result with a little care and forethought. A bath of dignity can be achieved with black fixtures, a black and green floor, light green and yellow walls, and a touch of brightness in the drapes. Ceilings,

fine old eighteenth and nineteenth century designs, as well as a variety of distinctive patterns by contemporary artists, are available.

Old scenic papers are available, not only in the original grays and browns popular a hundred years ago, but also in gay, natural colors. Some designs are wide and free in treatment, with large areas of open background. The effect is of a mural painting.

Designs which employ flowers motifs are always in good taste, especially when the flowers are scattered rather loosely about on



as in all cases, should be a light and subdued shade, such as buff, cream or gray.

Ideal for a sunny room is a bath with royal blue fixtures, a dark green floor, light green walls and salmon pink drapes.

Pale brown fixtures, a medium blue floor, pale orchid walls and drapes of light green will impart cheer to a dark room.

Interior Decorators now Offered Wallpaper in Variety of Designs

Wallpaper has for many years been a popular wall finish because of its infinite variety of colors, designs and effects. In keeping with the modern trend, manufacturers have developed wallpapers which are more attractive and of better quality than the old papers, and thoroughly conforming to the present-day requirements in decoration.

Not long ago, a papered room could never be rearranged without patches of unfaded wall being brought into view. With this problem in mind wallpaper manufacturers developed after long experimentation a new scientifically-colored paper, which cannot be harmed by the strongest light.

In addition to being color-fast, many papers today are damp-proof. Water proof and even washable papers are available for kitchens, baths, nurseries and other rooms where such papers might be desired. More different designs and effects are offered than ever before. Many reproductions of

a plain ground and surrounded with a great deal of open space. The new modernistic designs are adaptable to modern rooms, and often are effective in traditional rooms. There are modern papers in black and white which give the effect of pen and ink sketches applied on the wall.

These are very attractive in small writing or powder rooms, especially with black wood work lined with silver. An infinite selection of "whoopie" patterns to gladden the hearts of merry-makers is available for the recreation room in the basement or other part of the house. For children's playrooms, there are mother goose characters and story-book scenes. There is a wallpaper, in fact to solve every background problem.

In order to insure correctness throughout the house, a competent decorator should be consulted. There is always plenty of room, however for the exercising of individual tastes, which should never be sacrificed if the house is to possess "personality."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who assisted us in our bereavement of the loss of our beloved daughter and sister, Louise, also for the beautiful floral offerings. We especially want to thank Rev. R. J. Reynolds for his consoling words.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin and family.

Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Rev. and Mrs. Herschel Yates were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cowgour.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shelton were called to Paducah Kentucky Saturday by the serious illness of Mrs. Shelton's father, W. M. Childers.

Miss Helen McGee entertained with a farewell party and handkerchief shower Thursday evening in honor of Miss Wanda Poe who with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Poe, will leave in a short while for Charleston, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Critchlow are the proud parents of a fine baby girl which was born Saturday, and who has been named Sue Carolyn.

Mrs. Sherman Hill and Mrs. J. H. Woods of Hayti spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting with friends and relatives.

W. R. Binford and brother Leonard Binford of Morehouse made a business trip to Clinton, Ky., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers of East Prairie, Mrs. Hollie Warren and Hall Puckett of LaForge, and Mrs. Sallie Fox of this place were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Amanda Long.

Mrs. Elizabeth Winchester and Essie Blaylock and daughter of Murray, Ky., visited friends in Matthews from Thursday until Sunday, and attended the commencement exercises held Thursday evening. Mrs. Blaylock's son, Paul was a member of the graduating class.

Miss Thelma Hildebrandt of Memphis, arrived Monday for a visit with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hildebrandt.

A joint surprise birthday supper was given for Messrs. Paul Jones and Richmond Lewis at the country home of Mr. Jones Friday evening. A number of friends were present to aid in the celebration.

Mrs. and Mrs. I. C. Westerfield of East Chicago, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Zonie Westerfield and daughter, Patsy of Canolou visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deane, Jr. Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Roberts and little daughter of Essex, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cole and children and Wakeman Gullett of this place were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline T. Hope of Cape Girardeau are here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitten.

Mrs. Thos. Holderby of Sikeston spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Menda Atchley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Patton, daughter Betty Eileen, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Miller were guests of Mrs. Maggie Hunott Sunday.

Mrs. F. D. Morgan of this place and Elizabeth Winchester, of Murray, Ky., spent Saturday in Sikeston with Mrs. Lillie Kaiser.

Mrs. Elizabeth Winchester and Mrs. Essie Blaylock of Murray, Ky., and Mrs. Maggie Hunott of this place visited Mrs. J. H. Dickerman Friday.

Great Britain has a new type fifteen inch gun for mounting on battleships which can shoot its projectiles through fifteen inch armour plate and then travel nine miles farther.

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT WILL BEGIN WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The first games of the city softball league schedule will be played on the high school athletic field Wednesday night when Sikes Hardware and the Lions club teams meet at 7 o'clock and the H. & L. drug store and the national guard company groups play at 8.

The doubleheader will be free to the public, who may see the opening games of teams playing in two four-team leagues the National and the American. Sikes Hardware, the Lions, the American Legion and the highway department teams comprise the National league; while the H. & L. drug store, Buckner-Ragsdale's the national guard, and the Midwest Dairy Products groups are in the American.

Team managers will meet at the athletic field at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon, Mr. Lancaster said, to arrange final details of the tournament and to mark off the field.

All games will be free except those in the championship series, to which a 5-cent admission charge will be made.

Because members of the American Legion post softball team could not play on some of the nights set down for them in the league schedule, the schedule has been changed slightly by Jack Lancaster, who has been active in planning the league play.

The revised schedule: May 22—Sikes vs. Lions; H. & L. vs. Guard.

May 24—Midwest vs. Buckner; Legion vs. Highway.

May 29—Guard vs. Buckner; Lions vs. Highway.

May 31—Sikes vs. Legion; Midwest vs. H. & L.

June 5—Sikes vs. Highway; H. & L. vs. Buckner.

June 7—Legion vs. Lions; Guard vs. Midwest.

June 12—Lions vs. Sikes; Guard vs. H. & L.

June 14—Midwest vs. Buckner; Legion vs. Highway.

June 19—Buckner vs. H. & L.; Highway vs. Sikes.

June 21—Lions vs. Legion; Guard vs. Midwest.

June 26—Lions vs. Highway; Guard vs. Buckner.

June 28—Midwest vs. H. & L.; Legion vs. Sikes.

July 3—Guard vs. Buckner; Lions vs. Highway.

July 5—Legion vs. Sikes; Midwest vs. H. & L.

July 10—H. & L. vs. Buckner; Highway vs. Sikes.

July 12—Legion vs. Lions; Midwest vs. Guard.

July 17—H. & L. vs. Guard; Sikes vs. Lions.

July 19—Highway vs. Legion; Buckner vs. Midwest.

July 24—Highway vs. Sikes; Buckner vs. Midwest.

July 26—Guard vs. Midwest; Lions vs. Legion.

July 31—Highway vs. Sikes; Buckner vs. Guard.

August 2—Sikes vs. Legion; H. & L. vs. Midwest.

August 7—H. & L. vs. Guard; Sikes vs. Lions.

August 9—Highway vs. Legion; Buckner vs. Midwest.

Postponed games will be played on August 14 and 16. The championship series will be played on August 21, 23, 28, and 30.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT ENTRY BLANKS NOW AVAILABLE

Application blanks for entrance in the city-wide tennis tournament are now ready to be filled out at the H. & L. drug store, Jack Lancaster said Wednesday.

The deadline for entry will not be until July 1 and tournament play will not start until July 15, but residents intending to compete are urged to apply early. A 10-cent entry fee will be charged so that trophies may be bought for winners in the junior and senior singles matches and medals for each member of the championship doubles team.

An athletic committee of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the tournament sponsor, will arrange brackets, hold drawings for pairings, and appoint or approve referees for each match. Any man 20 years old or less may enter the singles division, and men 21 and more, the senior group. No age limitations have been placed on entrance in the doubles division. Junior chamber members are hoping enough women will enter so that a woman's singles division match may be held.

Preliminary matches will be decided by two out of three sets. For the semi-finals and finals, three of five sets will determine the winners if contestants agree to this before they play.

Tennis enthusiasts may practice now on Frank Van Horne's, Ross Killgore's and Leroy Heisserer's courts, and on the court behind the high school when it is finished soon after the school term ends.

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A prosperity note in the report was that the consumption of gasoline last year was in excess of the amount used in the peak year of 1931. Collections of the oil inspection department, the report continued, increased \$39,164.15 over the peak year, with a decreased collection expense of \$26,784.74, compared with 1931.

Buy Missouri Made Goods

In a review of the work of the State Central Purchasing agency, George C. Johnson, state purchasing agent, declares that in the two years in which the agency has existed a half-million dollars more of Missouri made goods has been bought for state use than in any similar period. No articles made outside the state are bought, he said, when domestic goods of equal quality and price may be obtained.

The agency is buying for 50 state departments and 24 state public institutions at this time. The savings, the review states, on gasoline, oil, tires and furniture alone, compared with prices previously paid equal the cost of operating the department.

Sikeston Standard, \$2.00 a year.

AGOGA CLASS TO HAVE BANQUET TUESDAY NIGHT

Sixty-eight members of the Agoga Class of the First Baptist church met in the Agoga Hall Sunday morning for the regular Sunday morning class period. James McClelland favored the group with a vocal solo, following which the teacher, Jack Johnson, brought a very interesting lesson on "Mother and Church."

Fifteen members of the class were present Tuesday evening for the regular weekly fellowship meeting. At this meeting plans were made for the banquet to be held next Tuesday night. This banquet is to be given by the losers in the April membership contest, with members of the winning side as honor guests. All who attended the class during the month of April are cordially invited to be present.

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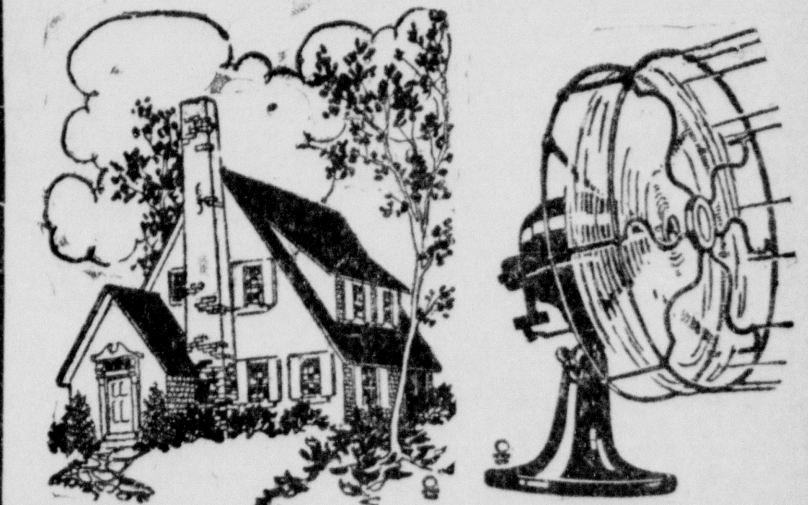
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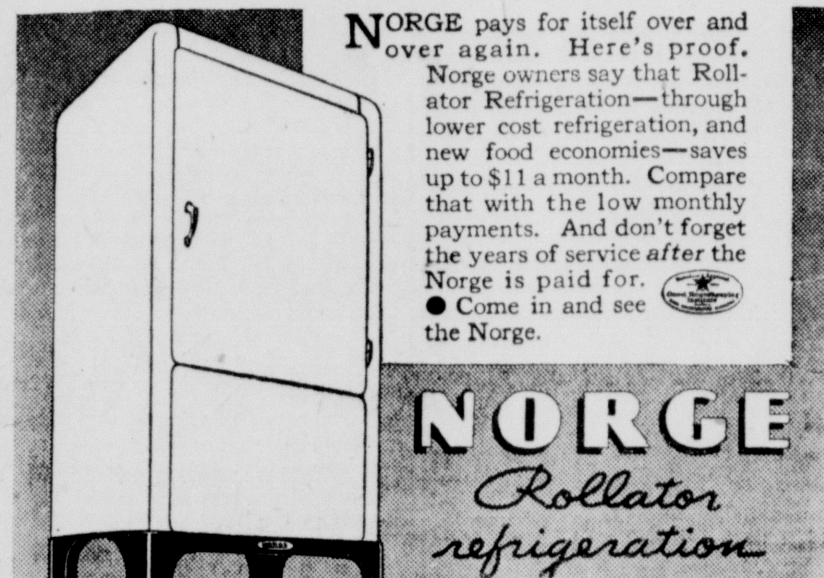
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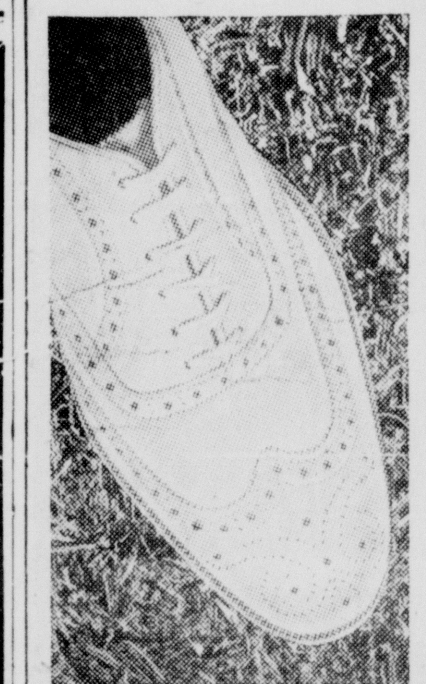
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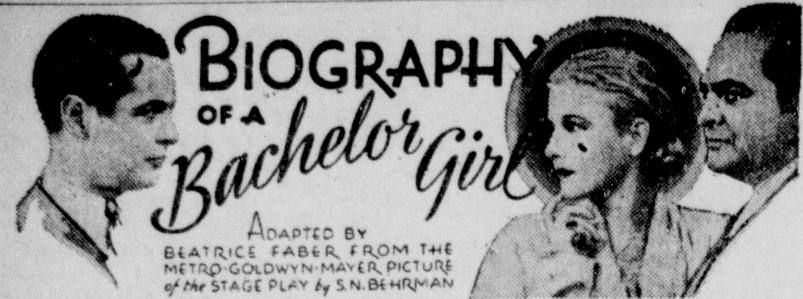
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CHAPTER TWO

The Mysterious Stranger

WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE
Marion Forsythe, famous portrait-painter is just arriving from Europe on the Montevideo. She is met at the station by Melchior Feydak, an old friend from Vienna, by newspaper men and finally interested in a love affair, and by Richard Kurt who is about to make her a curious proposal.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Marion stared back at Kurt while the clock ticked away thirty seconds. What could he possibly mean? She shrugged her shoulders and then, with a quizzical glance, "Well—perhaps I'd better go into this," she said.

The two reporters snickered. Kurt's face assumed a look of boredom at what he considered a rather poor joke. At this Marion quickly gestured to the door. "Boys, would you mind? I'll see you on deck."

Minnie smiled on them benignly at the door. "Goodbye gentlemen." "Now, if you don't mind stepping into the other room while I get into some clothes. I'll—Marion was saying to Kurt when he interrupted her angrily.

"I do mind. I am not going to wait any longer. Your state of undress means nothing whatever to me."

Marion found herself silently admitting that he was undoubtedly telling the truth, for his stern impersonal glance certainly held no interest, let alone admiration for the silken clad figure that stood before him.

In spite of herself she felt a moment of pique. Many great men, statesmen, ambassadors, world financiers, had waited for her far longer than had this—this young upstart who was now fussing over a few unimportant minutes. She checked herself, for her natural generosity came forward to soften her irritation. He wasn't an upstart, she reproved herself. He was a serious young man with a purpose, and as such deserved her courtesy. However, when he stepped back and precedent had established that passengers leave fully clothed. She touched her negligee.

"But you can't expect me to get



"What a very great honor it is to meet you, Mr. —" Her words were left dangling in mid air and her face froze into stillness.

off the steamer like this." She pleaded. "Well then, go ahead and get dressed. I won't stop you, but," he added with rising color, "you'll either listen to my proposition now—or I go."

"Look here, young man, I resent being treated like a—like—"

"Like an exhibitionist?" Kurt flung at her insultingly.

Marion opened her mouth to speak, then closed it firmly. Finally she said in a hard, tight voice, "you'd better go."

"Right." Kurt turned on his heel with firm intention. And with the realization that he really meant to leave, all of Marion's animosity evaporated into thin air. Only curiosity was left, a curiosity that had to be appeased.

"Wait a minute." Kurt turned and leaned negligently against the door. "Mr.—Mr.—say, what is your name?" Her frank grin offered him her friendship.

Kurt heaved an exasperated sigh. "Kurt. Richard Kurt. With a K." "With a K?" Marion mentally noted that it should have been "C."

"You're a violent young man, aren't you?" she asked as if she were inquiring as to his preference in ties. He answered her as literally as she had asked the question. "Yes. And you're one of those tolerant people. See the best in everyone."

He had made no attempt to conceal the sneer in his last words. But Marion was beginning to enjoy the altercation. "You say that as if tolerance were a crime."

"It is." There was an unreasonable bitterness in Kurt's voice. "It's criminal because it encourages dishonesty, incompetence, weakness and all kinds of knavery."

Marion appraised him thoughtfully for a moment. "You're also a fanatical young man."

Kurt nodded in perfect agreement. "Having said that you think you dispose of me?" He made a slightly patronizing gesture. "Well, all right, I'm disposed of."

His air of condescension did not escape Marion. His magnanimity in being "disposed of," clearly said that he did not consider her worthy of further argument. Now sheer amusement took hold of her. The corners of her mouth tipped up in a smile.

"All right." She gestured towards a chair. "Sit down." Taking up her dress, she stepped behind the screen with Minnie. "Go on."

"I am the editor of a magazine called 'Every Week,' he began. "Do you know it?"

"Think I've seen it on the news-stands. But I'm afraid I've never read it." Her reply floated out from behind the screen. Kurt's answer startled her a little. It was the first word of commendation she had received from him.

"That is a tribute to your discrimination," he said. "We have an immense circulation. Three million, I believe. With a circulation that size you may imagine what

the average intelligence of our readers must be."

"However, we occasionally flatter our subscribers by printing the highbrows. In discreet doses we give them Shaw, and Wells and Chesterton. So," he finished, "you'll be in good company anyway."

One amazed eye and eyebrow looked out from behind the screen. "Yes," Kurt rose. "I want you to write your biography to run serially in Every Week."

"My biography?" Her astonishment was so apparent that Kurt mistakenly hurried to explain. "Yes. The story of your life."

Marion's reply came back with wounded dignity. "I know the meaning of the word."

"Later, of course," Kurt said as if the matter were all settled, "you can bring the biography out as a book."

Marion stepped out, now fully dressed, while Minnie snapped the fastenings on her dress. "Look here," she said, frowning in perplexity, "why did you pick on me? It's obvious you don't think a lot of my talent."

"It's not that," Kurt hastened to assure her. "It's the celebrity of your subjects, and your—friendships with them."

For the second time Marion found herself stung into silence. "You're a brutal young man," she finally answered with a wry smile. "I rather like you."

"Thanks," Kurt said, dryly. "What I want you to tell about is the impulse that made you leave home, that's kept you from settling down into respectable boredom—"

"Young man," Marion said, with an odd tremor in her voice "you're beginning to make me feel like an institution." And for a moment he had life had been so full for her, the short years had been so brimming with joy and laughter that she had never thought of it in retrospect. "Too full?" She wondered for a moment. Then she gave herself a mental shake. Not too full, for its warm tide had flowed to her as naturally as to the shore. She couldn't have stepped beyond its reach if she would.

Kurt's next words were so ac-



cusatory she had a malicious moment of satisfaction in knowing she had finally pricked his skin. "Why do you keep calling me young man?" he demanded. "I'm twenty-five."

Feydak entered the room and hurried to Marion. "Liebchen, there's a gentleman from the New York Times out here to see you. I didn't know—" with a sidelong glance at Kurt.

"The Times!" Marion jumped from her chair and started scurrying about the room like an excited rabbit. "People who read the Times order portraits," she said breathlessly. Portraits with big fat checks attached to them. Beautiful big checks that buy just gobs and gobs of clothes and railroad tickets and heaps of other lovely things. Feydak dear, please say I'll be right out."

She suddenly peered in the mirror and with a horrified exclamation started to rub away the carefully applied makeup. "Too much rouge," she scolded herself. "Where's that pale lipstick? Oh, here it is."

Kurt addressed her over her shoulder. "If you don't mind," he said, bitingly. "I'd like a decision on the matter before we discuss it."

"Well, I'll tell you. I am a painter, not a writer, and I'm not nearing eighty that I should be writing my biography!"

"Why not do it while you're still young, vital, in the thick of life?" Marion jammed her hat on. "While I'm young and vital and in the thick of life, I'm going to live—not write about it."

In spite of his annoyance, Kurt had business to finish. "The money is pretty good. I am prepared to give you an advance of two thousand dollars."

"My coat," Marion directed Minnie. "Listen, young man, things are difficult with me. Artists have been harder hit in late years than anyone, but that's over. Interest in art is reviving. The fact that the Times sent a man out here to see me proves it."

Marion jammed her hat on. "While I'm young and vital and in the thick of life, I'm going to live—not write about it."

"Good morning," she said to the man who had searched for her with Kurt. She extended her hand in the manner of a gracious queen, consciously exerting all her charm. "Is this Miss Forsythe?"

"Yes, indeed," Marion smiled. "What a very great honor it is to meet you, Mr. —"

Her words were left dangling in mid-air and her face froze into stillness. For directly behind the man Minnie was going through a series of strange contortions; her face was twisted with the silent agony of the message she was trying to convey as she gestured frantically downward with both thumbs.

(Minnie's verdict is "thumbs down," and she has always been right. Who is the mysterious stranger? Not even off the boat and Marion's homecoming is already filled with adventurous happenings. Read tomorrow's exciting installment.)

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Sailors in the United States Navy are healthier than any other similar group of men in the world.

PNEUMONIA FATAL TO JOHN REED OF MINER

John Reed, 60 years old, died of pneumonia early Saturday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith three miles south of Miner Switch.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence at 2:30 Sunday afternoon by the Rev. Finis Jones. Burial was in the Eldest cemetery.

Mr. Reed was born at Folsomville, Ind., on April 20, 1875, but moved to Blodgett when he was about 18 years old. For fifteen years he was employed at the Blodgett Elevator and Grain Company, and for many years before his death he lived in this district.

He is survived by a cousin, Mrs. Charles Demaris of Sikeston; two step-sisters, Mrs. Jane Smith of Miner and Mrs. Earl Ashton of Marmaduke, Ark., and two step-brothers, J. A. Withrow of Sikeston and Peter Withrow of Portageville. Cecil Smith was his step-nephew. Welsh service.

PUXICO RESIDENT DIES OF PARALYSIS AT CROWDER

Walter Smith, 69 years old, died of paralysis early Sunday morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Hallie Dye, in Crowder. Mr. Smith had been a resident of Crowder most of his life, but during the last few years he had lived in Puxico. When he became ill a month and a half ago he was taken to Mrs. Dye's home.

Funeral services were held at the residence at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, the Rev. J. T. Self officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park cemetery here.

Besides Mrs. Dye, Mr. Smith is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rachel Smith, of Puxico; another daughter, Mrs. Ruby Yokley, of Crowder; and a son, E. A. Smith, of St. Louis. Welsh service.

MURRAY TANNER TO BE WED JUNE 5 IN WEBSTER

The marriage of Murray Q. Tanner to Miss Marceline Holekamp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Holekamp, will take place June 5 at the home of the bride's parents in Webster Groves. Only members of the two families will attend.

Mr. Tanner is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Q. Tanner of Webster Groves, formerly of Sikeston, and a nephew of John L. Tanner of Sikeston. He attended the Sikeston high school before he moved to Webster Groves and later graduated from Washington University in St. Louis. He is now an automobile salesman.

D. A. R. TO MEET WITH MRS. LAURA SMITH

The Kingshighway chapter of the D. A. R. will meet at the home of Mrs. Laura Smith this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. E. P. Crowe assistant hostess. Mrs. Kate Harris will be leader for the afternoon and will have for her subject, "The Cabildo in New Orleans."

CHICKEN AND HAM Dinner and Supper at the Parish Hall Wednesday, May 22

Dinner 11:30 Supper 5:30
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business men of six Southeast Missouri counties.

The meeting will be held in the high school auditorium at 7:30 Tuesday evening, May 21, so that merchants may learn of benefits they will derive from the federal government's triple-A program.

In notes sent to towns in Scott, Mississippi, New Madrid, Stoddard, Dunklin, Pemiscot counties, Mr. Swacker asked that merchants attend the session, bringing other business men with them.

Among the speakers will be Mr. Woods, a member of the federal economic board in Washington; and Ide Trotter and C. C. Hearne of Columbia, and C. H. Rhodes of Cape Girardeau, all government officials who have charge of AAA work in Missouri.

Similar meeting will be held Monday night in Cape Girardeau and Wednesday in Poplar Bluff.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our thanks to all our friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear brother, John Reed; for the many beautiful floral offerings and especially for the consoling words of the minister.

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We wish to thank our many friends for their help and sympathy during the illness and death of our loved one, Opal Elkins Eggers. Also for the beautiful flowers and to the Rev. E. H. Orear for his wonderful sermon and the comforting words of H. J. Welsh. The beautiful songs will be long remembered.

J. R. Elkins, father,
 A. E. Eggers, husband.

COUNTY CROPS

Scott county farmers put winter wheat at 75 per cent of normal condition compared with 75 per cent in May 1934. The 10-year average condition has been 74 per cent from current yearly farmer reports to the U. S. Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates.

The condition of rye is 75 per cent against 79 per cent in 1934. Hay is 58 per cent of normal compared with 72 per cent last year. Pastures are 75 per cent in Scott county against 63 per cent for May 1934.

CATHOLIC LADIES TO SERVE DINNER MAY 22

The semi-annual chicken and ham dinner of the Catholic ladies Altar Society, will be served at the Parish Hall Wednesday, May 22. Both dinner and supper will be served, the noon meal to be served at 11:30 and the evening meal at 5:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

W. H. CARTER RETURNS AFTER VISIT IN ILLINOIS

Judge W. H. Carter returned Monday afternoon from Carbon-dale, Ill., where he went Friday to visit his daughters, Mrs. John D. Dill and Mrs. Rex H. Cook.

On Friday evening Judge Carter attended a banquet given in honor of his son-in-law, John D. Dill, who celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of his affiliation with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Two hundred persons attended the banquet and entertainment, among them company officials from New York City, Chicago, Hannibal, and East St. Louis, Ill.

On Sunday, Judge Carter went to Vienna, Ill., where he was one of 3000 persons present at a Legionnaires convention. Included on the program were numbers by drum and bugle corps of many southern Illinois towns.

PARTY FOR WOODMAN JUVENILES SATURDAY

Mrs. Lizzie Bienert of Chaffee, Ill., will host a party for the Woodman Circle Juveniles of Wild Rose, Circle No. 31 of Sikeston Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Maude Adams. Those present were Freda Andres, Carletta Crouthers, Azalea Edwards, Mary Janice Edwards, Billy Noland, Billie Bess, Albert Kiehl Bess, James Bryan Turner, Joe Dye, Charles Proffer, Martha Louise Edwards, Marie Montgomery, Mrs. Claude Turner, Mrs. Lizzie Bienert, Mrs. Jim Edwards, Miss Maude Adams and Albert Bienert of Chaffee. Three

visitors were present. Games were played following which delicious refreshments were served by Miss Adams.

Reuber Attends Osteopathic Meet

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Reuber went Sunday to Chaffee, where Dr. Reuber attended a meeting of the Southeast Missouri Osteopathic association. At the conclusion of the session association members adjourned until September, when they will convene at Farmington.

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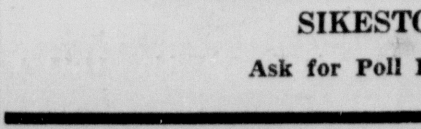
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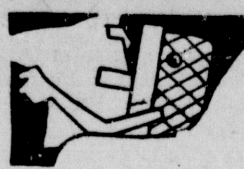
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Burnice Hauze
Criss Cross John Williams
A Rose in the Garden
Summer Days
The Zoo

Sailing William Hahs
Elizabeth Martin
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Lullaby
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Mary Emma Heath

The Whale Safford
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Billy John Foley
Rain Drops Cora Jenkins
Pony Race
Negro Dance Perry

Betty Anderson Bliss
Tumble Weed
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Long Ago
Auld Lang Syne
Burnice Hauze
Boy Scout March Martin
Turkey in the Straw
Arrangement by Williams
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SIKESTON TO HAVE FLOAT IN MARDI GRAS PARADE

Sikeston will have an entry in the annual Poplar Bluff Mardi Gras parade of floats, it was decided Thursday morning by Chamber of Commerce officials, whose organization will sponsor the float.

A design for the decorated car has not yet been determined. Last year Sikeston won second prize of \$25 with an automobile completely covered with white and pink floral sheeting and topped by a large pergola arch, under which a backed metallic throne was placed. In the 1933 competition Sikeston won first place in the parade with a float of purple and white.

Because previously no discrimination was made between floats made by professional decorators and those by amateurs, a Mardi Grass committee has divided the contest into two sections. Prizes for professional entries will be \$50 for first; \$25 for second; \$15 for third and \$10 for fourth. Amateurs will receive \$25 as first prize; \$12.50 as second; \$7.50 as third and \$5 as fourth.

Mrs. Herman Henry will drive Sikeston's float this year, and Miss Louise Davis, the queen will ride on it in the annual parade.

MRS. IRA SHUFFITT'S TWO SISTERS HURT IN WRECK

Mrs. Ralph Huff of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Clarence Weekley of Salinas, Calif., who left here Sunday for their homes, were badly injured in an automobile accident at Albuquerque, N. Mex., Mrs. Ira Shuffitt, their sister, learned in a message she received Tuesday.

Mrs. Weekley suffered a fractured pelvis and Mrs. Huff a fractured leg, a physician notified Mrs. Shuffitt. Both women are now patients in the Presbyterian hospital at Albuquerque.

Mrs. Shuffitt did not learn details of the accident.



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Personal News of Sikeston

by Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Alberson and daughter, Kitty, and Mrs. Tom Meyers spent Sunday in Osceola, Ark., with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cramer.

Welter's Honey Flake Wheat Bread, Natures Laxative. Made with crushed wheat and pure honey. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

Miss Emily Blanton is spending the week at Cape Girardeau, the guest of Miss Mildred Myers.

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An all-day picnic was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bean, of Tallapoosia, Mo., Sunday. When the following relatives motored there with their lunches: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bean and children, Mildred, Wanda, and Harold of Gray's Ridge, Miss May Bean, of Tallapoosia, Mo., Sunday, Home Greenlee and children, Zea, a, Elmer, and Charlotte Jean, of Sikeston; Mrs. Bernard Crain and daughter, Berneda June, of Sikeston, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Drake and children, Charles, Virginia, G. D. Gene, Daphna and Shirley Jo, of Canolou; Mrs. John A. Hitt and granddaughter, Mary Lucille Marshall of Sikeston; Mrs. Sarah Hannah and children, Paul, Cecil, Eugene and Irene of Richwoods; and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bean and three daughters of Tallapoosia, Miss Myrtle Henderscott of Sikeston was also a guest. An enjoyable time was had by all.

Enjoy a delicious chicken and ham dinner and supper at the Parish Hall Wednesday, May 22, given by the Catholic ladies; tickets only 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Andros and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan were visitors in Dyersburg, Tenn., Sunday.

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Betty Lynn Sizemore, of St. Louis is visiting her grandfather, O. M. Hicks of Sikeston.

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Dr. B. F. Blanton and daughter, Miss Emily, will leave for Paris, Mo., Sunday morning, for a short visit.

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MRS. FINNEY BEAUTY SHOP

Mrs. Miley Limbaugh, who is still confined to her home due to rheumatism is reported to be slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulte and children spent Sunday in Jackson, visiting with Mrs. Schulte's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laenke.

Lyman York and Miss Lucille York of St. Louis visited here Wednesday morning with their aunt, Mrs. E. H. Smith, Miss Vivian York also of St. Louis, accompanied them to Sikeston and remained for a 10 days' visit with Mrs. B. B. Engram and family.

The Friendship Circle of the Woman's Benefit Association, was entertained last night (Thursday) by Miss Rebecca Pierce.

Mrs. W. B. Lacy was reported to be better yesterday morning. She has been confined to her home the past two weeks suffering from laryngitis.

James Crooks, after visiting here since Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Crooks, returned to his home in St. Louis, Wednesday, Mrs. Crooks accompanied her son home for a few days' visit.

Jack Shuppert returned home from Lawrenceville, Ill., the latter part of the week, where he

had visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shuppert, since January. Mr. Shuppert's condition is reported to be about the same.

Mrs. John Fox and Miss Rebecca Pierce expect to go to St. Louis the last of the week to attend the state rally of Woman's Benefit Association, held there on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at the Gatesworth Hotel. Miss Pierce, District Deputy, will be delegate, while Mrs. Fox will go as Alternate to the rally. On Wednesday, Mrs. Fox will attend a school of instruction for financial secretaries, which will be conducted by Miss Frances D. Partridge, Supreme Record Keeper, of Port Huron, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hatfield and daughter, Margaret Ann, were dinner guests on Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cowan at Dexter. They also attended the eighth grade graduation exercises held there that night. Ben Cowan, Jr., was a member of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mount, Mrs. F. E. Mount and Miss Lucille Mount spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Turner at Kennett.

Among those from the First Baptist church who attended the Southern Baptist Convention, held in Memphis, Tenn., this week, were: Rev. Verne Oglesby, Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Garrison, Mrs. O. G. Walker, Mrs. Nellie Estes, and Miss Grace Estes. Mrs. Harry Minton of St. Louis, sister of Mrs. Walker, also attended the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson, Mrs. Frank Killian and son, Donald Ray of Delta, spent the day Tuesday here with Mr. Johnson's mother and sister, Mrs. A. C. Johnson and Mrs. Jas. A. Mocarbee.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Sitzes and children were in Charleston, Sunday, visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Sitzes and Mrs. Louisa Tharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharron Pharris and son, Jimmie, spent the latter part of the week in Cape Girardeau, visiting Mrs. Pharris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cotner.

Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. Verne Oglesby, Mrs. Tessie Lee and Miss Helen Johnson were visitors in Cape Girardeau, yesterday.

Mrs. Randall Wilson, Mrs. Billie Keith, Mrs. A. A. Harrison, Mrs. H. E. Reuber and Miss Nan Wilson were Memphis, Tenn., visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pate were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Art Sensenbaugh, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Johnson of Mt. Vernon, Mo., will arrive today (Friday) to visit the remainder of the week here with Mr. Johnson's brother, Jack Johnson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Garwood Sharp are now located in the Felker apartment, having moved to same on Wednesday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Russell-Bradley Missionary Society was held on Tuesday night with Mrs. James Matthews, Misses Isabelle and Carrie Hess were assistant hostesses. The regular business of the society was transacted, followed by a social hour. The hostesses for June will be Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Sayers Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Clarkson and son, Frank, Jr., and Miss Virginia Stultz of University City, are expected to visit here during the latter part of the week with Mrs. Clarkson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Converse.

Word from Ed Cook, a patient at the St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau, is that he is getting along fine. It is thought, if he still continues to improve, he will be able to return home Sunday.

The Philathea class of the Methodist Church will hold a bake and rummage sale on Saturday in the old bank building.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brase and daughter, Nancy Ruth, returned to their home in Poplar Bluff, Sunday evening. Mrs. Brase and daughter visited from Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniel, while Mr. Brase joined his family on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Lee were visitors in Piedmont, Sunday.

Jack Matthews and Dr. C. T. Old were business visitors in Memphis, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Boyer went to St. Louis, yesterday, on a business trip. They will return today.

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POLITICAL MEETING AT BENTON SATURDAY

The Scott County Women's Democratic Club will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Court House in Benton Saturday afternoon, at two o'clock when the following program will be given. Mrs. J. E. Johnstone—C. C. C. Mrs. Lora McClain—F.S.H.C. Miss Gertrude Bean—Federal Communications Commission.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our grateful appreciation to friends and neighbors for assistance rendered and sympathy given in the long illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, Martha Jane Malcolm, who passed away Saturday, May 11, 1935—P. M. Malcolm and children.



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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brase and daughter, Nancy Ruth, returned to their home in Poplar Bluff, Sunday evening. Mrs. Brase and daughter visited from Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniel, while Mr. Brase joined his family on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Lee were visitors in Piedmont, Sunday.

Jack Matthews and Dr. C. T. Old were business visitors in Memphis, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Boyer went to St. Louis, yesterday, on a business trip. They will return today.

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Pleas Malcolm, who has been associated with The Standard for many months has the especial sympathy of the force in the loss of his mother for he stood by and passed up business opportunities to be close to his father and mother, both of whom were invalids for several years. The husband who is left behind has the sympathy of a legion of friends to whom he ministered as a physician in the years of practice in the community. The children have the sympathy of all who have lost a mother—their best friend, as this mother was one who devoted her life to her home, her husband and her children. God alone, and time can only soothe aching hearts in such a loss.

Ramelle Canoy, a pupil of the Sikeston schools, has had a perfect attendance in four years, and tardy but one time. She is to be congratulated in having such good health and to be so interested in school work.

Well, well. We notice where most of the brains were removed from a woman in Louisville hospital, and she was much brighter after the operation. We are afraid to say what we intended to when starting this paragraph.

FIGHT ON ARMY WORMS
TO START SOON HERE

Farmers may be forced to begin fighting army worms about Sunday, one Scott county landowner thinks.

On his farms the worms are now feeding, staying in the wheat fields to strip stalks of blades. When they move toward his corn and cotton he will begin killing them.

Army worms appear in early spring from eggs laid by moths. At first they can scarcely be seen, but as they feed they grow rapidly. They are now about an inch long, the landowner said, and often become as large as a lead pencil and an inch and a half long.

Since excessively hot weather drives them into the ground, they are now thriving in the unusual coolness of May. Last year they did not appear in great numbers, probably because temperatures were high almost continuously after the first of April, but this year they are threatening to destroy crops which promise unusually large yields.

Ordinarily farmers do not bother with them when they feed in wheat fields since they do not often harm the heads, but when they begin to move into corn and cotton tracts, efforts are made to stop them. By the method most commonly used and the one considered most satisfactory here, farmers plow out trenches around fields they wish to protect. Then as the worms start to cross the small valleys and find difficulty in reaching another field since they slide in the loose dirt, farmers hitch a horse or mule to a log and drag it over the trenches, crushing the worms.

When they migrate, the worms crawl close together, and in years when they thrive, the earth seems to move as they pass over it. Residents recall seeing the worms traversing highways in a wide living line so thick and deep that car wheels skid as they are driven over them. And a landowner remembers that once when the worms were particularly thick, he tried to run his car wheels over a trench made on his farm with little success since they slid so over the worms.

In cotton and corn fields, army worms eat all of the young plants exposed above the ground, leaving the fields bare and dead. And when they are filled and harried by heat, they dig into the earth and enclose themselves in cocoons, where they slowly develop

into moths. Emerging later, the moths lay eggs which hatch into the larvae, the stage in development when the species (in the form of army worms) is most destructive.

WEDEL SUES FOR DIVORCE

In a petition filed Tuesday in the Scott county circuit court, Ray B. Wedel, an employee of the state highway department here, seeks divorce from Eileen Wedel. A hearing on the action has been scheduled for the August term of court. Mr. Wedel, who was married on August 8, 1930, charges general indignities in his petition. He will be represented by Roger Bailey. Mrs. Wedel's attorney is Robert Dempster.

PLEADS GUILTY TO
ASSAULT AFTER RAPE
CHARGE IS DROPPED

Pleading guilty to a charge of common assault on Louise Arnett, Maurice Hart was fined \$25 and costs and sentenced to sixty days in jail Thursday morning. Judge Joseph W. Myers, who heard the case, agreed to stay the jail term if the fine and costs were paid. Hart, an employee of the Scott County Milling Company, was at first charged with rape of Louise Arnett on Sunday. In a complaint filed Monday, Baby Freeman, Louise Arnett's mother, accused Hart of the crime and listed as witnesses herself, Louise Arnett, and Louise Riddle.

When he appeared in court Thursday, Hart pled not guilty to the rape charge. After an investigation, Prosecuting Attorney W. F. Wilkerson changed the charge to a misdemeanor, common assault, and Hart admitted "hitting, striking, and beating" Louise Arnett with his fists.

The prosecuting witness lives in the west part of town.

GEORGE LOUGH'S FATHER
SUFFERS SEVERE STROKE

J. M. Lough suffered a severe paralytic stroke at 9 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of a sister, Mrs. John Smith, at Harrisburg, Penn., relatives learned yesterday. Physicians considered his condition grave. Leaving at 9 Thursday morning, George Lough, Mr. Lough's son, went to Memphis where he boarded an airplane for Harrisburg. He expected to arrive there Thursday night. The elder Mr. Lough, a native of Pennsylvania, had been visiting relatives in Harrisburg for a month.

NEW REFRIGERATOR
SALESROOM

A new display of Norge Refrigerators has been set up in the S and H Auto Parts Store in the Del Rey Building.

Chas. Berthe is in charge of sales and urges everyone to visit the showrooms and see various refrigerators and washing machines on display.

See advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tyer, Jr., of St. Louis spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tyer, Sr. They were accompanied home by Mr. Tyer's mother, who visited with them until Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Green of Pine Bluff, Ark., arrived here Sunday for an extended visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green, and her grandson, Robert Green. Mrs. Green was brought here by Harold Green, who left Friday night for Pine Bluff to drive his wife and son home after they had visited Mrs. Green's mother, Mrs. Mabel Roberts, for five weeks.

Neighborhood
Personal News
From Big Opening

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGill and daughter, Peggy Ann spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Suttles of near Matthews were visitors at Little Vine Sunday night.

Miss Alfreda Kem and Ferrell Bradford attended the show at Sikeston, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hastings and family visited friends and relatives in Sikeston Sunday afternoon.

Among those who attended Farmers day held at East Prairie Thursday, were, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz and family, Bessie Newton, Alfreda and Earl Kem, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denting, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marse Bailey and fami-

ly, Miss Addie, Carl D. and Glen Allen Hoover, Pansy and Dee Uthoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem and daughter Bettie Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Ayers visited Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Edwards and family of Calvert City, Ky., Wednesday. Ozeal Hastings was the guest of Willie Mae Percy Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Brown and Children, and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cox and family of near Sikeston, and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kem, were the guests at the Willie Percy home, Sunday.

A miscellaneous shower was given last Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Lula Cooper in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carter Bell. A large crowd attended and many beautiful and useful gifts were received by this young couple. Games were played after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem and family and Mrs. Lorne Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Robinson of near Sikeston Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz shopped in Sikeston Saturday night.

J. J. Vaughn and Mr. R. R. Hoover transacted business in New Madrid Monday.



Samuel E. Boys, editor of the Plymouth (Ind.) Daily Pilot says:

"There is a lot of talk these days about 'social security.' Books have been written about it and new deal statesmen consider it a part of their plan to make over the economic and social laws and customs of this nation.

"By social security is meant that every man, woman and child shall be secure in having the comforts of life; that none will have to worry about want during life or in old age. Can we have this social security without giving up something which is worth far more than security?

"And shall we say, as a nation or as individuals, that everybody shall be secure in the comforts of civilized life no matter what he does? Shall the man who saves and strives and thinks carefully for his physical and mental comfort be compelled to pay out of his savings to support in comfort the one who squanders his substance in dissipated living, and wrecks his physical and mental life by his excesses?

"If that is attempted, we might as well go farther and have the churches guarantee also that every person shall go to Heaven or the Happy Hunting Grounds, regardless of what his life has been.

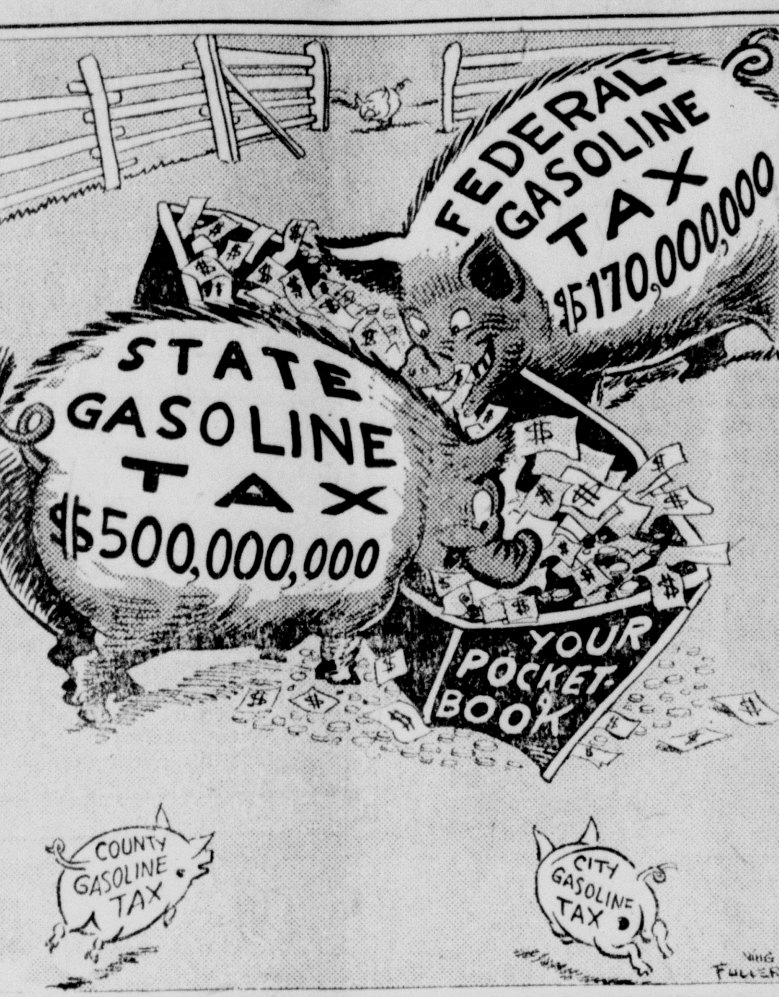
"This is a hard problem. Certainly every person who fails or comes to a sorry condition in life by no fault of his own should be cared for in some way. But just as certainly he who wastes his substance and his life by careless living is not entitled to any governmental aid.

"If life were made socially secure, all striving and worry taken from the shoulders of men and women, the human race would rapidly deteriorate and our civilization would disappear. We are made. Human beings must strive to accomplish, either by desire for better things or by compulsion of necessity, in order to make progress.

"There is dispute now as to whether the race has progressed or gone backward during the past two thousand years or more. With 'social security' there would be no question about the rapid backward tendency."

J. Lawrence Foster of North Andover, Mass., lifted the hood of his automobile to see what stopped the car so suddenly. He discovered a cat had climbed into the engine, became entangled in the fan belt and had successfully jammed the works. Curiosity killed the cat.

Why Not Slaughter Some of These Hogs?

ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS
NO LONGER LUXURIES

Indications that the electric refrigeration industry is fast moving down into the market levels where increasing sales volume will mean more rapid progress than ever before is seen in the early 1935 sales figures of a number of leading manufacturers in the industry.

Pointing out that the story of the electric refrigerator has been one of gradual change from a luxury to an accepted household appliance, W. P. Whitledge of the Whitledge Electric Company, local Kelvinator dealers, said that inquiries as well as actual sales so far this year are coming from people in the lower income groups.

"This is a good sign for two important reasons," Mr. Whitledge said. "First it stands as proof that the electric refrigeration industry is offering to the buying public this year a group of products priced and designed to provide superior refrigeration service in every type of home. In even the smallest priced cabinets, quality and efficiency combine to create unusual value.

"Secondly, this widening of the market means that the benefits of American business improvement are beginning to reach the people whose spending, in the final analysis, determines the measure of prosperity in this country. Kelvinator Corporation, with a line of refrigerators especially adapted to the needs of users of this type, believes that its own sales records will show 1935 as a year when this widening of the circle of prospective buyers helped put the industry more than ever before in the front ranks of leading American industries."

LOFTIN CHARGED WITH
POSSESSING BLACKJACK

A hearing for Hubert Loftin on a charge of possessing a dangerous, deadly weapon was continued until next Thursday when Robert Dempster, the defense attorney, refused to try the case with a special prosecuting attorney representing the state.

In a complaint filed Tuesday by Al Swaim, Loftin was accused of having a blackjack, with which he intended to strike Swaim at 2:30 Sunday morning, the prosecuting witness said. Because W. P. Wilkerson, the prosecuting attorney, was unable to appear in court Thursday afternoon, he instructed Bob Daugherty to take his place. Loftin was recently bound over to the circuit court on a charge of feloniously assaulting Dick Swaim and at the time of his arrest was free on bond.

NEGRO IS FINED FOR
HAVING ILLEGAL LIQUOR

Luther Major, a Sikeston negro, was sentenced to sixty days in jail Thursday when Judge William S. Smith found him guilty of possessing illegal liquor. In Judge Smith's court, too, Lindsay Gale, also a Sikeston negro, was fined \$1 and costs when he was found guilty of disturbing the peace by using bad language and tempting to fight.

NAVAL HUMOR

"You boys of today want to make too much money," said Brown to his nephew. "Do you know what I was getting when I married your aunt?"

"No," answered the nephew, "and I'll bet you didn't either."

Conductor: "Did you get home all right last night, sir?"

Passenger: "Of course—why do you ask?"

Conductor: "Well, when you got up and gave the lady your seat last night, you were the only two on the car."

Fore: "Hey pal, lend me two dollars."

Aft: "What do you want two dollar for?"

Fore: "Well a book has just been published entitled 'What all Women Crave,' and I want to find out if they spelled my name right."

Caller: "I would like to see the Judge, please."

Secretary: "I'm sorry sir, but he is at dinner."

Caller: "But, my man, my errand is important."

Secretary: "It can't be helped sir, his Honor is at steak."

Patient: "Doctor, is there any danger of the operation proving fatal?"

Doctor: "Really, my good man, considering that we are experimenting on you free of charge, my idle curiosity is hardly good form."

Professor: "Will you men please stop exchanging notes in the back of the room?"

Student: "Them ain't notes, them's dollar bills. We're shooting craps."

Professor: "Oh, pardon me."

Joseph Dunkirk paints houses in Danville, Pa. several weeks ago he closed a deal with a landlord, performed what he thought were his duties then went to collect. The owner wanted to see the job—and then complications started. He had painted the wrong house. And—the owner of the house he had decorated not only refused to pay for the job, but threatened to arrest him for trespassing.

Roy Cochran, a cowboy of Evanston, Wyo., was talking with the boys at the bar. He mentioned that he was fond of eggs and to win a \$3 bet he swallowed 61 raw eggs in 20 minutes and then topped them off with a mug of beer.

Fifty-five years ago Charles H. Wilkins of Columbus, Ohio critically ill of typhoid fever, vowed that he would attend church regularly if he recovered. During the interim he has missed church only five times, and then only because of sickness or death in his family. On his 73rd birthday last week, fellow churchmen tendered him a banquet.

Stanley Simon, 12, crippled had to go to court to see where he lived. The front door of his house opens into San Mateo County, Cal., the back door swings into San Francisco City, the county line dividing the building. The court ruled that he was a resident of San Mateo County, but Frisco authorities waived technicalities so the youth could attend a school for crippled children in the city.

A newspaper photographer at Sturga, Poland, wished to get a picture of the finish of a motorcycle race. As the winner neared the line he dashed on to the track and snapped his camera just as the cycle struck him and swerved into the crowd. Two persons were killed and six injured.

Ray Overturf was an all-Ohio Wesleyan University's football team last year. He holds the university heavyweight boxing and

wrestling championships. Last week a physician-lecturer demonstrated first aid treatment in the classroom. Overturf fainted.

Mark Thrash, a former slave, is 114 years old. He lives in Chicamauga Park, Tenn., where on a government pension, he supports himself, his fifth wife and a stepchild. The eldest of his 27 children is now 92.

William Brand, a farmer, living 10 miles south of Cincinnati, is an ardent baseball fan. Unable to attend a recent game between the Reds and the Cubs, he sent Harry Hugo to the game with 19 homing pigeons. At the end of each inning Hugo released a pigeon with a report of the game tied to its leg. The tenth bird gave Brand the game summary and highlights.

When the will of Maj. Harry Lefroy was read in London it left \$6000, representing five year's war pay, to needy soldiers and sailors. The will read: "I did not join the army to make money, but simply to do my duty and help to defend the lives and property which God gave into my keeping."

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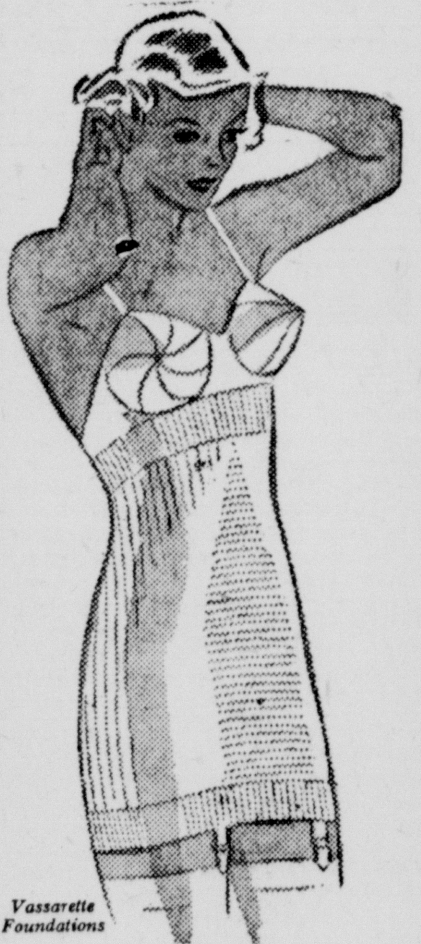
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CATTLE

National Stock Yards, Ill., May 13, 1935—Last week's cattle market very uneven ending up with most steers steady to 25c lower; mixed yearlings and heifers about steady; beef cows 25c lower; canners, cutters, and bulls steady; veal calves gained 50c cwt. Sales for the week: Good steers \$9.75 to \$11.40, top \$12.50; other steers mostly \$8.75 to \$10.50; Good mixed yearlings and heifers \$9.25 to \$10.75, with top on mixed \$11.50; top heifers \$11.00; top yearling steers \$12.35. Good beef cows \$5.25 to \$7.25, top \$8.65. Canners and cutters \$3.25 to \$4.75. Top veal calves \$8.25.

Today's (Monday) market slow; steers about 25c lower; other classes steady. Veal calves 25c higher. Most steers moving \$8.50 to \$10.00 on lead made \$11.00. Mixed yearlings \$7.50 to \$10.00; Some \$10.75. Beef cows \$5.25 to \$7.25; canners and cutters \$3.25 to \$4.75. Sausage bulls \$6.25 down. Veal calf top \$8.50.

HOGS

Top of \$9.15 was paid early last week and again at the close, however Thursday only one small lot was able to pass \$9.00, in fact most good hogs 180 lb and up sold \$8.90 to \$9.00.

Today's (Monday) market opened 10 to 20c higher; top \$9.25. Most 180lb and up \$9.10 to \$9.25; 150 to 170 lb. \$8.65 to \$9.10; 130 to 10 lb. \$8.15 to \$8.50; 100 to 120 lb. \$7.35 to \$8.00. Good sows \$8 to \$8.15. Market closed slow.

SHEEP

Following sharp losses of the previous week, all lamb values moved steadily upward until advances of 75c to \$1.00 were registered last week. A few prime kind made \$9.50; most choice springers sold \$8.25 to \$9.25.

Today's (Monday) market strong to 25c higher; spring lambs cashing at \$9.50 to \$9.75 top. Buck lambs are being discounted \$1.00 cwt. Clipped lambs \$8.25; less desirable kinds \$7.00 to \$7.75.

ELEVEN TO GRADUATE FROM VANDUSER HIGH

Eleven Vanduser high school seniors will be graduated tonight at exercises to be held in the high school auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock.

After the class processional

ACTION FOR DIVORCE No. 5211

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
In the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri. To the August Term, A. A. 1935.

W. I. Brown, plaintiff,
vs.
Grace Brown, Defendant.

On this 30th day of April, 1935, in vacation of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, comes Plaintiff herein by his Attorneys, Blanton & Montgomery, before the undersigned Clerk of said Circuit Court, and files his Petition and Affidavit for Divorce, alleging therein, among other things that the Defendant, Grace Brown, is not a resident of the State of Missouri and can not be served with the usual and ordinary process of law in this State.

WHEREUPON, IT IS THE ORDER OF THE UNDERSIGNED CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI, in vacation, that Publication be made, notifying the said Defendant, Grace Brown, that the Plaintiff herein has commenced an action against her by petition in the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to dissolve the Bonds of Matrimony now existing between the Plaintiff and the Defendant and for custody of child.

AND, unless said Defendant, Grace Brown, shall be and appear in the Circuit Court within and for the County of Scott in the State of Missouri to be begun and held at the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on the Second Monday in August, next, 1935, to-wit: MONDAY THE 12TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1935,

and shall then and there, on or before the First day of said Term, answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's petition in this cause, the said Petition will be taken as by her confessed and judgment rendered accordingly as prayed for in said Petition.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That a copy hereof be published in the Sikeston Standard, a newspaper of general circulation published in Scott County, Missouri, once a week for four consecutive weeks, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of the said August Term, 1935, of this Court, to which this cause is returnable.

L. J. Pfefferkorn,
Circuit Clerk.

A true copy from the record.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have affixed the seal of said Court. Done at office in Benton, Missouri, this 30th day of April, A. D. 1935.

(Seal) L. J. Pfefferkorn,
5-3-10-17-24 Circuit Clerk.

and an invocation by the Rev. Mr. Lewis, Isabelle Phegley will deliver a salutatory address, and Margaret Minner, Azzalee Fields, Grace Prindle, and Isabelle Phegley will sing a quartet number, "O Come to the Fields."

Superintendent B. I. Howard's commencement address will follow a violin solo, "Nocturne", by Azzalee Fields, and a valedictory by Audra Edminston.

Bryon Dodd, a member of the Vanduser school faculty, will present the diplomas. A benediction will be given by the Rev. Mr. Lewis.

Seniors are Janice Bissell, Audra Edminston, Azzalee Fields, Velda Hamby, Margaret Minner, Isabelle Phegley, Grace Prindle, Thurman Propst, J. W. Roberts, Walter Summers, and Pauline Wisdom.

These persons are on the eighth grade class roll: Juanita Baugher, Jack Burke, Marvin Callow, Charles Chaney, James Edminston, Tommy Griffin, Grace Honey, A. F. Johnson, Mary E. Johnson, Beatrice Mize, J. B. Moore, Willard Phegley, Audrey Unsell, and Buford McArthur.

Commencement at the Vanduser high school has extended since last Friday, when the senior play, "Bashful Mr. Bobbs", was presented in the auditorium. Baccalaureate services were held Sunday afternoon, the Rev. W. Clark Ellzey preaching.

WOODMAN CIRCLE MET THURSDAY

The Woodman Circle met Thursday afternoon, May 9 at the home of Mrs. Rosa Tomey. Several members and two visitors were present. Special Deputy Lizzie Bientert of Chaffee was also present for the meeting. The meeting will be with Miss Maude Adams at 210 Ruth St. Thursday afternoon, May 23. Every member is cordially invited to be present.

3 NAMED TO PICK LOT FOR AREA SCOUT EVENT

Three men will arrange for grounds and facilities for the Southeast Missouri area council Boy Scouts camporee here June 7, 8, and 9. W. E. Hollingsworth, chairman of the Sikeston district, announced Monday. They are J.

E. Robinson, head of the committee, and Walter Rayburn and Elmos Taylor. Other arrangements for the camporee will be made by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, which voted recently to sponsor the event. Chamber members will provide judges and awards and will run a soda stand at the camporee grounds, which will probably be located in the southern part of town.

NAVAL NOTES

Fifty-five of the 1934 Naval Academy graduating class were enlisted men in the Navy before going into the Academy.

When the Fleet guns fire, window panes and doors rattle throughout a hundred mile radius ashore. No noise of guns—just the displaced air causing ghostly rattles 100 miles from the firing ships.

The U.S.S. Houston one of our ten thousand ton cruisers can generate enough power to light the City of San Francisco.

Educational courses covering nearly every known trade and subject are available to enlisted men in the U. S. Navy. An officer has charge of these courses and assists the men in their studies.

When plans for a new type ship for the Navy are laid out, a model is first built and tests for faults and improvements before the ship is built.

The Navy's newest air-craft carrier bears the name which has never been long missing from the Navy register since 1777. Seven Rangers have preceded the present one in serving the United States.

Only four submarines are in the Turkish Fleet, and now it is decided that more are needed. They are going to buy four more of this type of warcraft, doubling their present under-water squadron. Two of the present subs used by the Turkish Government were built in Holland and two in Italy. To fill the new demand, Spanish,

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New Madrid County Superintendent's Notes

Enumeration lists and Estimates are due not later than May 15 and most of them have been filed at this writing. On the enumeration lists the total boys and girls should be set out, both white and colored. State aid applications re not due until June 15 but may be turned in now. Report of clerks and secretaries are not due until July 1.

All clerks and secretaries should be sure that Term Reports are filed with the County Superintendent at the close of the term. If in doubt, demand a receipt before issuing last month's warrant.

In the past many persons have come in to pay their taxes and found that they were listed in the wrong school district which means that their school taxes were being used to help some other district. If there are any errors in your assessment have same corrected during June which is the time that the new assessor will begin making up the new books. The new assessor, Shap Hunter, may be found at the Court House.

This spring H. R. No 6360 was

introduced in Congress which would provide for Federal Aid to each school district yearly amounting to \$25 per pupil in average daily attendance. Even if this were reduced to \$10 per pupil, it would help the schools wonderfully and would expedite the distribution of the wealth in the United States and thus help to end the depression. This depression was caused by the concentration of the wealth in the hands of the few rich capitalists, and the common people must suffer until this wealth is gradually scattered out again. Heavy income, inheritance and gift taxes will help to get the money from those who have more than they can use and then it can be wisely distributed. Distribution through the schools is one of the best means.

Since May 1, the writer has taken part in graduation exercises as follows:

Barnes Ridge: James Mansfield and Alfred Proffer, graduates. Imogene Townsend, teacher. Union Grove: Helen Presson and Geraldine Pool, graduates. Floella Wimp, teacher.

Pleasant Valley: Bernice Mullin Reva Ferguson and Opal Ferguson graduates. Mrs. Pauline Hudson, teacher.

Dawson did not have any graduates this year but a program was given on Thursday night,

May 2. Rexford Sloan is the teacher and will teach again there next year.

On the night of May 15 Risco will hold its Eighth Grade Graduation Exercises and the writer is invited to take part. Oren S. Lilley is superintendent there and has been elected back for the sixth year.

Below is a list of some of the rural eighth grade graduates not previously given:

Oak Island: Pauline Sumner, Wilma Williams, Herman Burns, Curtis Davis, Raymond Shelby, teacher.

Linda: Margaret Worth, Thelma Latimer, teacher.

Sugar Tree: Lois Keene, Allegra Smithson, Mrs. Agatha Weeks Parks, teacher.

Phillips: Lyman Bohannon, R. L. Davis, Agnes Littell, teacher.

Maple Grove: Kenneth Garland, Cecil Harris, Harry Stacy, Flossie Garland, N. G. Goldsmith, teacher.

Bookerton: Bonetta Starks, Jewell Morris, Gladys Clark, Mildred Hughey, Dorsey McGee, Ruby Hughey, Helen Richardson, Joe Schoolfield, Billy Hawkins, Odell Brock, Hazel Glisson, Clarence Hawkins, Mercial Stewart, and Velma Dibles, teachers.

Kendall: Ruth James, Geraldine Tate, Marie Ward, Myrtle Foster,

Dorotha Moore, Mrs. Pearlline Barry and Hazel Byers, teachers.

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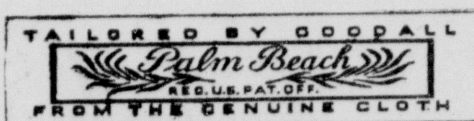
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Morning Worship—10:45.
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Sunday school—9:45 o'clock.
Morning Worship—11 o'clock.
Services will be dismissed for
the Baccalaureate sermon, at the
high school auditorium.
Epworth League—6:45 o'clock.
Evening Worship—7:45 o'clock.
Evening—Subject: "What Is
Christianity? What It Is Not; Who
Has a Right To Claim to be a
Christian."
E. T. Fowler, pastor.

CHURCH OF GOD
Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.
Morning worship—11:00 o'clock.
Young Peoples meeting—6:45.
Prayer Meeting—7:30 o'clock,
Wednesday evening.
E. T. Fowler, pastor.

**COLLEGE HEAD TO SPEAK
AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

Dr. F. L. McClure, president of
Westminster College at Fulton,
who will deliver a commence-
ment address at the high school
graduation exercises Monday nite,
will speak at the Presbyterian
church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening
during the regular preaching
hour.
At 9 o'clock Sunday morning
missions day will be observed by
the Rev. D. D. Ellis, the pastor.
He will preach on "Should An
American Religion Invade For-
eign Soil?"

In place of the Wednesday
evening services, Dr. Plumer Smith,
a missionary to Africa, will speak
Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The
Rev. J. E. Travis, pastor, and
members of the New Madrid
church will be guests at the ser-
vice.
The Christian Endeavor meet-
ing will be held Sunday evening
at 7 o'clock.

**FOUNDATION FORMS FOR
CHURCH ADDITION BUILT**

Only two days were required to
dig a basement for the large ad-
dition which will be placed on
the east side of the Church of the
Nazarene.

Excavation work was done by
church members, the Rev. C. F.
Travis, the pastor, said, as many
as twelve working at one time.
By Wednesday they were con-
structing forms for the concrete
foundation.

Since a last report was filed,
church members here secured
\$150 an additional \$150 from
canvassing activities and from
pledges made before construction
was started. They are now finish-
ing their campaign for money, at-
tempting to gain \$300 to add to
their building fund. Less than
\$1800, they think will be neces-
sary to pay all expenses.
J. C. Davis will be carpenter
and John Hitt bricklayer for the
work.

CARD OF THANKS
We take this means of thanking
all who sent flowers, Baptist
quartet, Rev. Verne Oglesby, pall
bearers, and all who furnished
cars at the funeral of our father,
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**Is Fourth AAA Referendum
Coming Vote to Indicate Views of
Majority of Wheat Farmers**

The vote on wheat will be the
fourth referendum to be conduct-
ed by Agricultural Adjustment
Administration it is pointed out
by County Agent R. L. Furry.
Similar polls on the views of farm-
ers toward adjustment programs
have been taken among corn-hog
producers, tobacco growers, and
cotton farmers.
The wheat referendum is being
taken now in order that the Ad-
justment Administration may
have a clear-cut expression of
opinion of producers far enough
ahead of time to allow prepara-
tion of a wheat contract to be of-
fered to farmers before planting
of the winter wheat crop for 1935
begins early this coming fall.
Although the referendum is be-
ing taken on the single question
of the attitude of growers toward
a future wheat program, series of
meetings are being scheduled now
for every community in which the
wheat program has been in opera-
tion and at these meetings farm-
ers will discuss all phases of the
current and past wheat situation,
as well as the outlook for the fu-
ture. Regional and state meetings
have already been held in most
areas and the community meet-
ings follow.
The proposed future program
would follow in general outlines
the present program. It would
be based upon voluntary contracts
with farmers and would be for
the four years 1936, 1937, 1938,
and 1939, with optional provision
for continuing it from year to year
during this period. Acreage and
production base periods would re-
main the same, thus avoiding the
problem of working out new al-
lotments. Adjustments to be re-
quired under the contract would
be limited to a maximum of 25
per cent of the base acreage. Ad-
justment payments and process-
ing taxes would be determined as
in the present program. Local ad-

ministration of the program would
continue to be by the local wheat
production control association,
with a somewhat greater degree
of local responsibility to be ex-
ercised by them.

Ballot boxes at following plac-
es:
1. Kelso district—Parish Hall,
Kelso.
2. Bleda-Chaffee area—Bleda
School House.
3. Benton-New Hamburg area—
School House at New Hamburg
and Court House at Benton.
4. Oran-Perkins area—Heisser-
er's Store, Oran.
5. Vanduser-Morley area—
Emerson Smith office at Morley.
6. Tanner area—Tanner school
house.
7. Sikeston narea—Russell Bro-
thers, Sikeston.
8. Diehlstadt-Commerce area—
Diehlstadt High School, City Hall
at Commerce and Blodgett Metho-
dist Church.

The balloting of Southeast Mis-
souri farmers will be part of a
nationwide referendum taken
during the week of May 20, on
this question: "Do you favor con-
tinuing a wheat adjustment pro-
gram to follow the present one,
which expires with the 1935 crop
year?"

Balloting will be open to pro-
ducers who did not sign contracts
as well as to contract signers,
provided they were actual pro-
ducers of wheat during the years
taken as the base period for the
wheat control program, according
to Leslie B. Broom, New Madrid
county agent.
It will be necessary for farm-
ers who are not now signers to
appear at the polling places and
establish the fact that they are
eligible to sign a wheat contract.
The community committeemen
who will serve as "election jud-
ges" will be authorized to pass on
the eligibility of such farmers.
In New Madrid county, Mr.
Broom said, balloting will be done
at the following places through-
out Monday, beginning at 8
o'clock in the morning.
Matthews—High School Gym.
New Madrid—Court House.

Conran—Community Building.
Gideon—High School Auditor-
ium.
Risco—
Portageville—School Auditor-
ium.
Libbourn—School Auditorium.

**DISTRICTS TO BE GIVEN
15 VOTES AT G. O. P. MEET**

Except in St. Louis and Kansas
City, where multiple districts
have made other provisions neces-
sary, each congressional district
in Missouri will be given fifteen
votes at the midwest Republican
conference at Springfield, Ill., on
June 10 and 11, according to Gro-
ver W. Dalton, Republican state
chairman.

Mr. Dalton expects at least 1000
Republicans of Missouri to attend
the conference, about half of them
from the state's two largest cities.
On Tuesday Mr. Dalton sent let-
ters to all heads of state congress-
ional committees, asking them to
arrange meetings for May 27 and
to select delegates to the confer-
ence.
The three purposes of the
Springfield session, he said, are

these: To formulate and make
public declarations of fundamen-
tal principles of Republicanism;
to set up a midwestern headquar-
ters where information would be
collected and distributed; and to
afford Republicans an opportuni-
ty to meet and become acquaint-
ed.

Robert Dempster returned Mon-
day from Columbia, where he
drove Friday to attend a found-
ers' day banquet of his fraterni-
ty, Delta Theta Phi. On the way
to Columbia he stopped in Rolla
and Jefferson City to visit friends.

The marriage vow—What does
it mean? The marriage certificate
—Is it but a piece of paper. The
marriage ring—Is it a band or a
bond? Here's the truth about the
Park Avenue crowd! Rex theatre
Saturday and Sunday.

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Bread, Natures Laxative. Made
with crushed wheat and pure
honey. For sale at our bakery and
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C. L. Blanton, Jr., left for Troy

and Jefferson City Thursday af-
ternoon. He expects to be back in
Sikeston Saturday evening, ac-
companied by Mrs. C. L. Blanton.
Sr., who has been vacationing for
the past four weeks.

The new Brother is Welter's
De Luxe Egg Bread. Made of pure
creamery butter and strictly
fresh eggs. For sale at our bakery
and all independent grocers.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS
HONORS MOTHERS AT TEA**

Members of Mrs. J. M. Pitman's
Sunday school class entertained
their mothers at a mothers' day
tea which they gave at the Me-
thodist Episcopal church between
2 and 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.
Sixteen mothers attended.
During the tea, class members
presented this program: Reading,
"Only One Mother", Mary Louise
Montgomery.
Group Song by class, "Mother."
Solo, "Wonderful Mother of
Mine", Ruth Hollingsworth; Mary
Jane Sikes, accompanist.
Quartet, "My Mother's Eyes".
Ruth Hollingsworth, Mary Louise

Montgomery, Mary Catherine
Boyer, and Esther Jane Greer.
For this number, Mary Jane Sikes
played the piano and Catherine
Ann Cook the violin.
The twenty-two members of
the class furnished red and white
roses for the Sunday school and
church last Sunday.

KIRBY'S REACH CALIFORNIA
Mr. and Mrs. Vodrel Kirby and
Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Kirby of
Festus, who left here recently for
a vacation in the west, arrived in
Los Angeles, Calif., Saturday ev-
ening. Vodrel Kirby wrote in a
note to C. L. Blanton, Jr. The
tourists greatly enjoyed their trip
Mr. Kirby said, and had begun
seeing California sights, starting
in Los Angeles, which is "a
beautiful city." Mr. Kirby did not
write when he will return.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion McFar-
land former citizens of this com-
munity but for the past year or
two living in St. Louis county,
were in Sikeston Tuesday. It is
likely they will again be citizens
of Southeast Missouri.

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AVONDALE PEAS 2 No. 2 cans 23c

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O. K. SOAP 6 14 oz. bars 25c

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Country Club, fancy CORN 2 No. 2 cans 23c

Crisco 1 pound can 20c

Country Club CHILI CON CARNE No. 300 can 10c

General Electric Light Globes 30 watt 60 watt—each 10c

SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR package 27c

PURE HOG LARD Bulk Pound 15c

MILK-FED VEAL Chops Pound 22c Roast Pound 18c Stew Lb. 10c

Eatmore Oleo 2 lbs. 27c

SUGAR CURED BACON BUTTS lb. 21c

SUGAR CURED SLICED BREAKFAST BACON No Rind No Waste lb. 32c

Fresh Ground Hamburger 2 lbs. 29c

FRESH CATFISH, sliced, lb. 25c **SKINNED WHITING FISH**, lb. 17 1/2c

Bananas Golden Yellow Dozen 15c
New Potatoes 9 lbs. 25c
FRESH GREEN BEANS lb. 5c
POTATOES 100 lb. Bag 98c 15 lb. Peck 15c

THE
EDITOR
SAYS—

Wilbur C. Buford has been re-appointed as State Game and Fish Commissioner by Governor Park for a four-year term. This is a most pleasing appointment as the young man must have given entire satisfaction as no word of criticism has yet appeared in any paper against him.

The Standard editor wishes to caution "funny boys" to go slow in phoning questionable and suggesting "ads" to The Standard as we resent such coming over the phone to our bookkeeper, in fact we don't like it a damn bit.

The piece of blackberry weather that has been visited on this section during this week has been very unpleasant to those who have shed their long ones. This same piece of weather has greatly encouraged cut worms to do their derndest with the sprouting corn and the army worms to make a clean sweep of meadows that came within their advance. With these depressing things for the farmer, gardens are looking fine, lettuce, radishes and onions appear on almost every table, rose beds and flower gardens were never more beautiful, which proves that God still rules on high.

The Standard office was honored with visits from editors from North Missouri and Iowa during the week, who had been in attendance on the National Editorial Convention in New Orleans. Sorry the editor was not at his desk during these calls, as it is a pleasure to receive these gentlemen of the press and show them every courtesy.

Dr. L. O. Rodes, who has been a patient at Barnes Hospital, St. Louis for some weeks, returned to his home in this city Tuesday afternoon. He is greatly improved in health and looks better than he has for a year. Friends are very happy over his miraculous recovery.

The editor and C. L. Jr., were guests at the Shainberg home Tuesday evening for a real home-cooked fried chicken dinner. It was real thoughtful of these good people to have these two "widowers" out for dinner, and the meal was thoroughly enjoyed.

**Murray To Visit Capital
Soon and Learn New Duties**

Matthews S. Murray, who is to take a year's leave of absence from his position as the city's director of public works to become federal works project administrator for Missouri, is expected to go to Washington within the next few days to confer with government officials regarding his new post.

Scheduled for several days to be named state administrator, Murray received a telegram Monday night from Harry L. Hopkins, federal administrator, announcing the appointment and advising him that a letter of instruction was following.

It is understood the letter will request his presence in Washington to discuss with Hon. S. C. Parker, director of the new Federal Works Administration, the expenditure of the \$120,000,000 share that Missouri is expected to get from the \$2,880,000,000 works relief appropriation.

One of Murray's first duties, when he takes over his new job, will be the appointment of three deputy administrators, one for the Kansas City area, one of St. Louis and one for outstate Missouri. Headquarters of the new state administrators will be in Jefferson City, where state relief headquarters now is located.—K. C. Post.

**WILL SEEK FUNDS FOR
CONTROL OF MALARIA**

An attempt to secure government funds to eliminate malarial fever dangers in Southeast Missouri by establishment of more adequate drainage facilities will be sponsored by an organization of district county court representatives, who met at Bloomfield Tuesday.

The group, which will be called the Seven County Malaria Control Unit of Southeast Missouri, is headed by Judge C. H. Roberts of Dunklin County. F. S. Rogers of Jackson is secretary-treasurer. Members of the executive committee are T. F. Henry, Scott County; H. L. Ruth, Butler; T. E. Garrison, Dunklin; Elton Proffer, New Madrid; J. O. Bebout, Mississippi; Yewell Lawrence, Standard; and one to be chosen from Pemiscot.

Mrs. L. D. Comer of Chicago spent last week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Comer. On Saturday night the group motored to Cape Girardeau. On Sunday they were all dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer at Morehouse. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Comer, and their guest, accompanied by Mrs. Maudie Wicks and Miss Mary Louise Arnett drove to Cairo from where Mrs. L. D. Comer returned home.

California to New York—in eleven hours—to meet his girl! But he couldn't make love that fast! And so he heir to millions saw his happiness handed over to a professional fortune hunter! Rex theatre, Saturday.

Those Who Never Retract Their Opinions Love Themselves More Than They Love Truth.—Joubert.

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Murray Chosen State Works Progress Head

Matthews S. Murray, director of public works in Kansas City, was notified by telegram Monday night that he had been appointed Missouri works progress administrator.

The appointment was announced by Harry L. Hopkins, federal relief administrator, after Missouri's two Democratic senators, Bennett Champ Clark and Harry S. Truman, had recommended Murray for the position.

The Kansas City official will be granted a year's leave of absence from his job and will establish headquarters in Jefferson City, where he will work closely with Wallace Crossley, Missouri relief administrator.

About 120 million dollars will be spent in this state on works relief projects, Senator Truman has estimated. If a suggestion made by the Kansas City senator is accepted, representatives of Missouri cities and towns will gather in Jefferson City to formulate a plan to submit to Hopkins, Secretary Iles, and Frank C. Walker, the "big three" in Washington.

"Murray knows the state, its public officials, and its needs," Senator Truman said last week. "With him directing the works relief, Missouri should consider itself fortunate."

Murray is well-known here since he was a former resident. Born in Dayton, O., on October 27, 1883, Murray spent his early

years there, graduating from St. Mary's Institute in 1901 with a civil engineering degree. For several months he worked as locating engineer for the United States Telephone Company and for the R. E. Kline Engineering Company. Between November 1902, and February, 1906, he was deputy surveyor under John E. Warner of Benton. Then working for the Frisco railroad, he located the yards, the roundhouse, and the water system for Frisco employees in Chaffee.

Coming here in July, 1908, Murray entered the general contracting business and secured numerous jobs, among them that of locating and installing the city's new \$30,000 water works system, a contract awarded by the city council.

Later he became affiliated with the state highway department, serving as the first division engineer in the Southeast Missouri district, with headquarters in Sikeston. From here he went to Jefferson City, where he accepted a position as chief of surveys and plans with the state highway department. He was still serving in that position when, on recommendation of Theodore Gary of Kansas City's director of petaohrm as City, then head of the highway commission, he was hired as Kansas City's director of public works to succeed H. F. McElroy when the latter was made city manager in 1926.

Seniors Delight Large Audience With Farce

Professor Frederick Relyea—Fred Jones.

Mrs. Wells Miller ("Auntie"), his sister—Mary Emma Powell.

Sylvia Relyea, his daughter—Margaret Fisher.

Phillip Stanton, his assistant—Billy Bob Donnell.

General Henry Burbeck—Gust Zacher.

Marcella Burbeck—Lillian Rita Derris.

Mrs. Vivvert, a neighbor—Mildred Rushing.

Mrs. Henderson, her mother—Mildred Williams.

Lucille Norton, a neighbor—Adele Love.

Judge Sanderson—John Wilson.

Sheriff Johnson—Het Lambert.

Deputy Sheriff Stoker—Glenn Matthews.

Carrying the audience with their earnest intensity, seniors rolled through "Second Childhood" Tuesday evening to present a finished, well-rounded performance.

Members of the cast fulfilled the demands of a farce that they appear sincerely concerned as improbable events mount one upon another until they reach near catastrophe. And for their convincing performances they gained unanimous approval of the audience, whose full laughter was almost continuous and whose applause was long and hearty.

The piece is concerned with the difficulties of Professor Frederick Relyea in his efforts to perfect an elixir of youth. Forgetting all obligations which an ordinary person assumes, he nearly loses his home and position because of time devoted to experiments; and

before matters are finally and satisfactorily settled he barely escapes loss of his reputation. This danger appears through the almost simultaneous disappearance of his daughter and a friend and bottles of elixir and the appearance of two babies, whose presence makes him believe his potion has been alarmingly successful.

As Relyea, Fred Jones was particularly convincing, with his preliminary absent-mindedness and late his genuine concern for what he thought he'd accomplished; and in all other parts seniors were happily cast, speaking clearly always and moving easily on the stage.

Between the first and second acts, several students presented a clever sketch about four show people stranded sixty miles from their homes. In it, Mary Emma Powell and Evelyn Allard danced and Don Robinson and G. W. Zacher played separately on the saxophone and the clarinet. Basil Hessling, a constable who came to question the hikers, entertained them with his conversation and singing.

After the second act, Tris Marshall gave a monologue, "I'm a Poor Married Man," and Paul Jones, Basil Hessling, and Het Lambert sang together "Every Day" and "Isle of Golden Dreams."

Glenn S. Duncan, who directed the production, also executed a fittingly attractive setting for "Second Childhood." Miss Frances Burch had charge of the make up, Charles McMullin was manager, and Jack Barger, stage manager. Dorothy Lee Waller played for the sketches.

Graham Beauty School to Open Here June 1

Graham's academy of beauty culture and cosmetology will open on Saturday, June 1, Sam Graham, the owner and manager, announced Tuesday.

The school, which Mr. Graham intends to operate permanently, will be held in the east room of the McCoy-Tanner building's first floor, formerly occupied by the postoffice.

When carpenters and electricians, painters finish their remodeling work in the room on Center street, Mr. Graham will have booths built, mirrors hung, and new equipment installed.

Instructors hired for the school are persons licensed by the state and ones thoroughly trained because of numerous years of experience. The equipment they use will be complete and modern.

Mr. Graham will offer at his academy a six-months' or a 1000-hour course. Students enrolled may attend either day or night classes, or both, if they wish to finish the course quickly. Tuition prices for beginners will be less than those for professionals enrolled in the school.

High school graduates who have not decided upon careers will be especially invited by Mr. Graham to attend the academy classes, since jobs for competent beauty

shop operators are almost continuously open.

FREE INSTRUCTIONS IN CROCHETING WILL BE GIVEN AT STERLING'S

Free instruction in crocheting will be given at Sterling's store every Wednesday and Friday evenings, it was announced yesterday.

The first of a series of free lessons will be given tonight, then on each Wednesday and Friday of weeks following. Classes will be held from 7:30 until 9 o'clock.

Two women, whose crocheting work may be seen at Sterling's store, will have charge of the classes. All residents of Sikeston and of nearby communities are invited to enroll.

STRIKE AFFECTS SIKESTON

The 500 union bakers who were on strike at 300 St. Louis bakeries Monday to demand a 10 per cent wage increase affected Sikeston. The Kroger, A. & P., and other stores which receive bread from St. Louis had small supplies Monday morning.

Programs Arranged For Graduation Exercises Here

Programs for the baccalaureate services at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and for commencement exercises at 8 Monday evening were announced Wednesday by Superintendent R. V. Ellis. Both exercises will be held in the high school auditorium.

The Rev. R. M. Talbert, pastor of the Christian church here, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon Sunday.

At the beginning of the service, the forty-five high school graduates will march to reserved seats while the school orchestra plays "Holy, Holy, Holy." After an invocation, a choir and the congregation will sing "My Faith Looks Up To Thee"; the Rev. Mr. Talbert will give a scripture reading; and members of the girls' glee club will sing "Homing."

The services will end with a doxology, a benediction, and a recessional. "Onward, Christian Soldiers." The commencement procession will be "America the Beautiful." Before Francis McCord, president of Westminster College at Fulton, addresses graduates, an invocation will be given, the orchestra will play an overture, and the girls' glee club will sing two numbers: "The Starling" and "Gypsy Fires."

At the conclusion of the address, members of the boys' glee club will sing "On Great Lone Hills" and diplomas and awards will be presented. Two selections, "She Is So Innocent" and "The Spinning Song" will be sung by a girls' quartet before high school entrants are introduced and the recessional, "The Red and Black" is played.

These seniors will graduate: Frank Altom, Ramon Bandy, Junior Barger, Chester Conrad, Bob Bob Donnell, Murray Lynn Farrier, Basil Hessling, Fred Jones, Jr., Paul Jones, Vernon Jones, Het Lambert, James Lambert, John Layton, Charles McMullin, Clem Marshall, Tris Marshall, Glenn Matthews, Jr., Joe Matthews, Jr.,

Don Robinson, Marion Thrower, John Louis Wilson and Gust Zacher.

Evelyn Allard, Doris Mydland, Alma Brunum, Rachel Ruth Brunum, LaVerne Canoy, Gayle Collins, Louise Davis, Lillian Rita Derris, Margaret Fisher, Louise Gardner, Allene Garrison, Pauline Husher, Helen Johnson, Adele Love, Mary Emma Powell, Mildred Rushing, Mary Margaret Russell, Mary Ethel Smith, Louis Ellen Tanner, Dorothy Lee Waller, Wantina Watson, Mildred Williams, and Pauline Young.

The following students are eighth grade graduates: Lester Bailey, Ralph Baker, Billy Bess, Joe Bishop, Alan Bradshaw, Stanford Bradshaw, Clarence Byrd, Jessie Carroll, Junior Collins, Marvin Cunningham, Carol Davis, John Dover, Jimmie Fahrenkopf, Joseph Goldstein, Sibert Harden, Russell Heath, Rex Hudson, Essie Jines, Billy Fred Johnson, Paul Kelly, Edward Leech, Thomas Mathis, Myron Morrison, Robert Morrison, Eddie Orear, Dewell Reed, John Sturgeon, Harold Swanagan, Elwood Taylor, Russell Turner, Billy Van Arsdale, James Vinson, Carl Werneck, Arthur Williams.

Edna Arnett, Marietta Bloomfield, Juanita Boggan, Freida Mae Bryant, Catherine Ann Cook, Opal Crutchfield, Martha Delplane, Leota De Maris, Helen Vera Dudley, Louise Elliott, Jean Gardner, Ila Mae Gestring, Esther Jane Greer, Betty Jo Gross, Lorene Harris, Mary Emma Heath, Wanda Hinton, Marie Holden, Ruth Hollingsworth, Norma Hooker, Bernice Husher, Lavine Husher, Emily Kendall, Gwendolen Kirk, Freda Lambert, Helen Lee, Elois Long, Alfreda Lynn, Ruth Malcolm, Martha Ellen Mason, Edith Milburn, Geraldine Moll, Mary Louise Montgomery, Ruth Morris, Ida Oliver, Dimpie Patterson, Challace Rabb, Rose Marie Schorle, Mary Jane Sikes, Agnes Skidmore, Alberta Thompson, Elmina Thrower, Rosemary Ward, and Maxine York.

Entrants for State Beauty Contest to be Chosen June 12

A contest to choose a Miss Sikeston to compete in a state beauty contest will be the feature of a unit show of the Missouri beauty pageant which will be staged here Thursday night, June 13, under the direction of the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Entrants will parade in evening or sports clothes probably on the high school auditorium stage. From them one young woman will be chosen by a committee of at least three out-of-town judges, who are required to be unacquainted with any entrant in the show.

In addition to the beauty parade, the evening's program will include other attractions and a dance after the judges' decision has been announced. The successful entrant will be given a free trip to Sedalia on August 11 and 12. There she will represent Sikeston in a statewide beauty pageant to be held during the Missouri state fair, August 10 to 17, when she will compete with between 150 and 200 other winners for the title of Miss Missouri. If she is successful in winning this title, she will be sent to Atlantic City, N. J., the last week in August to represent Missouri at a national beauty pageant, competing for a title of Miss America, 1935.

Several unit shows, similar to the one held here, have been successfully staged in various Missouri cities since the Pettis county show opened the state campaign at Sedalia recently, when 114 young women sought the title. About 200 other local shows will be held throughout the state between now and the time of the state fair.

MISS LOUISE DAVIS WILL REPRESENT CITY AT BLUFF

Miss Louise Davis was chosen Wednesday afternoon to represent Sikeston at the Mardi Gras beauty contest in Poplar Bluff, May 25.

Selection of Miss Davis was made by delegates of four civic organizations, who were chosen by club presidents when plans to hold a beauty contest at the Malone theatre Monday night were dropped.

As Sikeston's entrant in the contest Miss Davis will receive a \$5 cash award and will compete with about twenty-five other young women for the title of Miss Southeast Missouri, which carries with it a \$50 prize.

Miss Davis, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Davis, is a member of the 1935 graduating class at the Sikeston high school. At the May fete held recently she was a maid of honor, attending Miss Helen Johnson, the queen.

These men were named to select a representative for the Poplar Bluff contest: Murray Phillips, Senior Chamber of Commerce; J. William Foley, American Legion post; Marion Sheldon, Junior Chamber of Commerce; and F. D. Lair, Lions club.

He had a string of polo ponies, a plane and private landing field, a yacht and a fortune of his own—but he had the misfortune to fall in love with a girl who broke his heart. Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

H. C. BLANTON TO SPEAK AT CATHOLIC CONVENTION

Harry C. Blanton of Sikeston, United States district attorney for eastern Missouri, will be among the speakers at a mass meeting in Cape Girardeau Sunday afternoon June 2, first day of a state Catholic Union convention.

Other speakers will include the Rt. Rev. C. H. Winklemann, auxiliary bishop of the archdiocese of St. Louis, and the Rev. A. H. Toebben of Apple Creek. Bishop Winklemann will also be celebrant at a high mass at St. Mary's Catholic church in Cape Girardeau at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, June 2.

After appearing at the mass meeting in the district teachers' college auditorium, Bishop Winklemann will stay in Cape Girardeau to address members of St. Mary's high school graduating class Sunday night.

The convention will extend through Monday and Tuesday, when group meetings will be held, and will end after a banquet Tuesday evening, June 4.

AUXILIARY TO MEET TONITE

The American Auxiliary will meet tonight with Mrs. G. W. Presnell. All members of the Auxiliary are urged to be present.

Welter's Honey Flake Wheat Bread, Nature's Laxative. Made with crushed wheat and pure honey. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

Legion Decoration Day Services to be May 26

Decoration day services, sponsored annually by the Henry Mel-drum Post 114 of the American Legion, will be held this year on May 26, Earl Johnson, chairman, of a committee on arrangements, announced Wednesday.

Decoration day is on Thursday, May 30, but because weekday services are never well-attended, ceremonies will be held on the Sunday preceding May 30. Gathering in Malone park a week from Sunday, persons participating in the program will

march at 1:30 to the Sikeston city cemetery, where speeches and musical numbers will be heard, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Invitations to join the parade will be issued to members of these organizations: Boy and Girl Scout groups, Spanish-American war veterans; D. A. R., the Legion auxiliary; and the U. D. C. Legionnaires will also march. And students in the school band will play, as will drum and bugle corps members.

Speakers for the services will be announced later.

People May Build Homes Under Government Plan

The better housing drive campaign here has been so successful and farming conditions are so satisfactory that residents are facing the possibility of not having enough mechanics for remodeling work, Wharton Clay, a special assistant to the industries director in Washington, said while he was here Wednesday. Sikeston, he said, was the first town in which he could truthfully make that statement. According to totals compiled at the better housing drive office here, canvassers secured 67 pledges for work valued at \$15,000 during the first two weeks of their drive. Results of this week's activities will not be tabulated until Saturday. Besides working on these jobs, members of the building trade will construct between 75 and 100 houses in Sikeston this year, according to John A. Young, general chairman of the campaign.

The government is now ready to help reliable people build homes under a plan closely related to the federal housing activities for alteration and repair, Wharton Clay, a special assistant to the industries director in Washington, D. C., told contractors, business men, and Sikeston better housing drive workers at a meeting here Wednesday afternoon. Under title one of the federal housing act, loans could be insured by the government only for remodeling work. Title two, which has recently been perfected, provides for financing new construction.

Government officials will be particularly glad to help persons who have vacant lots. They will also insure loans for a house and lot a man may want to buy. The actual loans, of course, are made by private lending agencies. Persons wanting complete information on the financing of new construction under the federal housing act may talk with Miss Ann Beck, supervisor of the Sikeston better housing campaign. Joseph A. Hacker, of St. Louis, a field representative of the federal housing administration, accompanied Mr. Clay here, introduced him after he had talked briefly and after a visomate reel concerning the purposes, functions, and success of the better housing drives had been shown.

Junior Chamber Here Condemns National Body

A resolution expressing dissatisfaction because the national Chamber of Commerce has entered national politics by criticizing the administration was approved by Junior Chamber of Commerce members at a dinner meeting Tuesday.

The resolution, which was signed by Kemper Bruton, president, and C. H. Moose, secretary after its passage, was introduced because organization members here believe chambers of commerce should not enter politics. It is reprinted below.

WHEREAS, the National Chamber of Commerce of the United States while acting as a representative of business throughout the nation did, on May 2nd, 1935, by resolution to the President of the United States, criticize and express dissatisfaction with the present administration policies of the National Government;

WHEREAS, the Sikeston Junior Chamber of Commerce of Sikeston, Missouri, desires and wishes to eliminate all political issues and expressions from its organization, so therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be placed in the records of the Sikeston Junior Chamber of Commerce as expressing the sentiment of the organization.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Episcopal church services will be held at the local Christian church Sunday evening, May 19, at 7:30 o'clock with Rev. A. H. Beardsley in charge.

Join the society Merry-Go-Round with the polo set and the cocktail crowd! They've been Around as you will see in "I've

been Around." Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

Sonny Lee, out of State Highway headquarters at Jefferson City spent the last week end with his parents in Sikeston.

Society wedding? Is it all glamor—glady—giddy happiness? What does it mean? Here are unexpected revelations about Park Avenue sweethearts! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

ART WALLHAUSEN IN POPULAR BLUFF REPUBLIC

It comes on good authority that the following was told at the annual journalism banquet held at Columbia, Mo., last week. About 600 Missouri scribes, scriblers-to-be and others who just happened to have \$1.50 were there.

At any rate one of the speakers interpreted a fine point in terms of the matronly soul who viewed everything that moved or had its being in terms of bridge. She ate bridge, slept bridge, lived bridge.

An approaching "blessed event" interrupted her bridge routine and as she awoke at the hospital after the ordeal she glanced over at two bright and very red young faces. With a sigh of resignation she turned to the nurse and said, "Well, I knew L. was vulnerable but I had no idea I was doubled." And that is that.

The story is a first cousin to the one told at a recent exclusive club in Poplar Bluff regarding the political leader who had paced the floor for hours and hours. While garbed in a white slithered, hither and thither with nary a word from the room in which he was most interested.

Finally a head poked from the doorway. The nurse beamed proudly "You are the father", she said, "of triplets."

And quick as a flash he retorted, "I don't believe it! I demand a recount."

FARMERS' EXCHANGE PLAN SUCCESSFUL IN SIKESTON

A medium of exchange in the form of community sales, established for farmers not long ago by Glenn Matthews and R. A. McCord has been unusually successful. Mr. McCord said Wednesday. From throughout the district residents bring stock and articles of all kinds to the Matthews wagon yard here, where sales are held every other Saturday.

Farmers like to bring their cattle, implements, cars, and household furnishings here because the commission charged by Mr. Matthews and Mr. McCord is substantially lower than that assessed by other community sale promoters of this district. And residents and other farmers gather in great groups at the sales here because of the wide variety and the value of the items offered.

Once before Mr. Matthews and Mr. McCord tried to start community sales in Sikeston with less success and they abandoned the notion for a time. Now, however, the response is so satisfactory they intend to continue the sales indefinitely.

RESIDENT'S MOTHER DIES

Mrs. Susan Crites, the mother of Christian Crites of Sikeston, died Monday afternoon at the home of a son, Ferdinand Crites, near Patton. Mrs. Crites died of paralysis after an illness of three weeks.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Flat-wood church. Mrs. Crites, who was 92 years old at the time of her death, was thought to be the oldest doman resident of Bollinger county. She had eighty-four descendants; seven children, thirty-one grandchildren, forty-five great grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

MRS. BARNEY WAGNER'S BROTHER DIED TUESDAY

Peter Belkin of Fredericktown, a brother of Mrs. Barney Wagner of Sikeston, died of pneumonia shortly after midnight Monday.

At noon Tuesday Mrs. Wagner and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William DeKrieke, left from Fredericktown, where they intended to stay until after the funeral services.

Mr. Belkin, who was 73 years old at the time of his death, was a prominent stock raiser of Fredericktown. He is survived by several brothers and sisters.

J. EDWARDS' CAR BADLY DAMAGED IN COLLISION

A Ford V-8 automobile, owned by John Edwards, was badly damaged late Monday afternoon when it and a one-ton truck collided at the intersection of East and Matthews streets. Repairs will cost about \$100 it is estimated. The truck was only slightly damaged.

At the time of the accident, Willie Harris, a negro employee of Mr. Edwards, was driving the car west on Matthews, and Lee Mason was driving his model A truck south on East. At the crossing the fronts of the truck hit the rear of the car, the impact swinging the Ford automobile around and into a telephone pole.

RED PEPPERS TO HAVE BANQUET AND DANCE

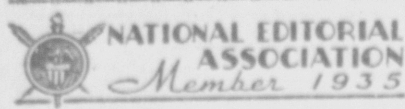
Members of the Red Pepper Squad of 1935 will attend a banquet at Gross's Cafe Friday evening, May 17, at 7:30 o'clock, with Miss Betty Belle Donnell as toastmistress. Mrs. Gordon Barks of Charleston, nee Miss Dorothy McKee, former sponsor of the Red Peppers, will be special guest at the occasion.

Following the banquet the group will sponsor a dance at the high school gymnasium, beginning at 9:30 o'clock, to which all former Red Peppers and their escorts, are invited.

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The many chain letters that have reached the editors' desk have found a safe refuge in the waste basket where they reposed until carried out and burned by the office boy. Life is too short to be fooled by such a nonsensical game as the chain letter or the chain gang.

Announcements are out for the closing exercises of the Southeast Missouri Teachers College at Cape Girardeau, which event is May 19th to 22nd. This has been a very satisfactory and successful term and under the present faculty the future seems unusually bright.

The New Deal continues to tolerate strikes, which proves that in this respect it is no better than the Old Deal. Things might be helped some by notice from Washington that any man who quits a job by joining a strike will be ineligible to a place on Government employment rolls.—Paris Appeal.

We are of the opinion that enemies of the New Deal have picked a mighty bad time for flying their biggest flag of distress. With one-fourth the population busy digging fishing worms, one-fourth picking wild flowers, one-fourth planting garden and the other fourth up to its ears in housecleaning, those pessimists just can't get a patient hearing.—Paris Appeal.

We asked Bildad Botts, our eminent research expert, what he considered the greatest need of the times. He replied that it was a school of instruction for presiding officers. Pressed for particulars, Bildad dug from his files a bundle of statistics which showed

that 17,983 people had died of old age in this country during the 12 months while waiting for presiding officers to run out of talk, that 879 had suffered nervous breakdowns from the strain of trying to keep awake, and that 23,007 married men had gone home from banquets and whipped their wives because of ill tempers that had been aroused while presiding officers were making introductory speeches or otherwise prolonging the program. Here is another thing the New Deal seems to have overlooked.—Paris Appeal

If we had our life to live over and know as much of human nature as we now do, we would select the newspaper as a profession, seek just such a city as Sikeston, where we know everybody, can speak to white and black alike and be recognized in return. We would try and prepare ourselves with a high school education, take a college course with the idea of studying human nature from the highest to the lowest degree in order that we could feel for the man who never had an opportunity as well as he who had everything. We would want God to give us a clean heart, guide us in the way of being a real help to the community, to help us soothe aching hearts in times of stress and provide us with sufficient means to alleviate suffering and make others happy. This would be an ideal life.

EXPLAIN AAA AMENDMENTS

County Agent Gives Brief Summary of Proposed Changes

Many Scott County farmers are asking for an impartial explanation of the proposed amendments to the Agricultural Adjustment Act now pending in Congress. In answer to all such inquiries County Agent R. L. Furry, offers the following brief summary of facts.

The Agricultural Adjustment Act was placed on Statute books at a time when American farmers were on the verge of bankruptcy and when the collapse of their purchasing power threatened also to destroy our entire economic structure.

The act brought the power of government to the aid of farmers, to enable them to do three things that are indispensable to farm recovery: (1) To reduce the price-depressing surpluses, (2) To adjust production and keep it in balance with market demand, and (3) To bargain effectively with distributors and handlers of farm products in order that farmers

might get fair prices and a fair deal.

In addition, the Act laid down a mandate that the interests of consumers should be safeguarded. Under the terms of the Act, production adjustment programs effecting more than 3,000,000 farmers have been carried out. Marketing agreements and licenses affecting several hundred thousand others have also been placed in effect.

While the intent of Congress was evidently to make the provision of the Act flexible, so that in one way or another it might be of benefit to all groups of farmers in all parts of the country, experience has shown that it needs to be strengthened at certain points so that some groups may not be left out of its benefits, and the general provisions of the Act made more effective in serving the interests of all agriculture. This, in brief, is the reason why the amendments now before Congress have been proposed.

The first purpose of the amendments is to make the Act effective for all groups of farmers.

The second purpose is to increase the effectiveness of the Act as related to basic commodities, with changes providing for the coordination of commodity loans and production adjustment programs.

The third purpose is to protect consumers against unwarranted price increases by processors and handlers of farm products.

At least 2,000,000 producers of milk, vegetables, fruits, nuts, and some other commodities do not find it practicable to work thru production adjustment programs of the type used by producers of corn, hogs, wheat, cotton and tobacco. But these producers can come under the Agricultural Adjustment Act through marketing agreements between the Secretary of Agriculture and the processors or handlers of their products.

However, if a majority of the processors or handlers of a given commodity should refuse to cooperate with the producers of that commodity by participation in a marketing agreement, the producers as a group could do nothing if the Government lacked power to carry out the farmers' plan through licensing the processors. The producers in that class would be forced to deal on whatever terms the processors or handlers wished to impose.

One of the chief purposes of the AAA amendments, therefore, is to give the Government authority to license the handlers concerned in such a case.

The amendments would also authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to make rental or benefit payments for "adjustment" rather than "reduction" of acreage or production. They would also provide for the coordination of commodity loans and production adjustment programs, in the direction of the "Ever Normal Granary" plan. In granting loans to farmers on their products, the Government may come into possession of considerable quantities of these products, pledged by farmers as security. It may be advisable to hold these products until the market can absorb them normally. In many cases, especially under favorable market conditions, farmers would be glad to have their security back again, to use on the farm or sell as they wished. Under the proposed amendments such products could be returned to farmers when they so desired, in place of cash benefit payments.

Under the plan, the excess from a large harvest could be held over to balance the shortage of a lean harvest. This would apply not only to human food, but to feed for animals.

The "Ever-Normal Granary" plan, described above, has for one of its most important objects the protection of consumers by safeguarding their food supply.

Protection for the consumers would be provided in that section of the amendments, which authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture to examine the books and records of processors and handlers who are parties to a marketing agreement or who come under the forms of a license. This provision seeks to insure that marketing agreements and licenses will not be used merely as a means of increasing return to processors and handlers at the expense of both producers and consumers.

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BUILDING A BETTER STATE

The Dependent and Neglected Child in the Depression

By Florence M. Pharo

Children of the white-collar class as well as those of other classes have come into the care of child welfare organizations as a

backwash from the economic situation, according to a recent survey by the Child Welfare League of America, New York City.

C. C. Carstens, executive director of the League, cites as an instance a family of four children with parents having college background. The father lost a fair-sized business of which he had been proprietor; the mother died from tuberculosis; the children were all pre-tuberculous. Two of the children were accepted by relatives, and two by a social agency. This triple calamity—involving home, work and health—is attributed to the depression.

"Wherever possible," says Mr. Carstens, "we are saving their families for children instead of finding new ones for them."

While widespread distribution of relief has kept many families intact, he states, it has at the same time kept many children in homes or in situations that are unsuitable or often degrading.

Relief workers, he points out, usually do not know their families well enough to find demoralizing conditions or do not have the time to give close attention to social conditions. Beside many courts are more lenient, through financial necessity, and will not easily remove children from such conditions.

"We are not a 'United States' at all in our care of children," says Mr. Carstens. "We are just forty-eight little republics—and then some."

He predicts that although children's organizations have been as busy as they could very well be during the past year, they will have greater demands made upon them during the coming year.

"Communities should come to realize," he declares, "that a decrease in budgets for the care of dependent and neglected children will only cause greater demands for protection and service to the children later on. Boards of directors have the obligation resting upon them to keep the organizations well-equipped for the service that they are now being called upon to render and that will come later in larger measure."

The survey by the child welfare league of America showed that parents and relatives can pay less than half as much as they

did three years ago toward the support of children who must live in foster-care institutions or foster families.

During the last six months of 1933, 59 organizations for which the League has comparable figures received a little over \$150,000 from parents and relatives toward the expenses of children in care whereas during the last six months of 1930 the amount received was over \$300,000. A 30 per cent decrease is shown in the amount received by 74 organizations from July 1 to December 31, 1933, as compared with the same period in 1932. Mr. Carstens believes this amount will show still further decreases this year.

Jame Earl Barnett, C.M.M., U. S. Navy, has a letter in his possession which he prizes above all other letters. It is doubtless worth anyone else in the United States Navy has a letter like the one Barnett has, for Barnett had to "die" to get it. The unique experience dates back to 1925, when Barnett was serving on the Submarine S-20. He developed acute appendicitis while the Sub was at sea, and was unconscious for thirty-six hours. When he became unconscious the pharmacist's mate pronounced him dead, as did the captain and other officers. Notification of his death was promptly sent to the Secretary of the Navy, and the Secretary of the Navy in turn promptly sent a letter of sympathy to Chief Barnett's Mother. When the Sub reached port, a medical officer was called. He examined the "corpse" and was surprised to find that the "dead" man's pulse was beating slowly. Barnett was rushed to the Naval Hospital at Portsmouth, N. H., and a month later he emerged from the hospital minus his appendix, but very much alive. Today, Barnett, ready to get into the Fleet Naval Re-

serve, has the letter from the Secretary of the Navy proclaiming his death. He is proud of that letter, because in it the Secretary of the Navy said that he was a fine upright man, well liked by those who knew him and that his loss was keenly felt by all.

Do not neglect to get your license before going fishing. Licenses must be signed and carried while in field and stream. Get your license NOW and be ready to "Go Fishing" when the season opens Decoration Day. All species of game fish will be eligible for the Creel May 30th. The season on

channel cat, however, will close the 31st for forty-five days, to reopen July 15th. The trout season, open since March 1st, will continue open until October 31st.

Mike Shenselyne, 6, was taken by his mother to a dentist at Windber, Pa., for a tooth extraction. Mike refused a local anesthetic. When the dentist, on orders of the mother, proceeded with the extraction, Mike jumped out of the chair, holding his breath. Physicians said death was caused by asphyxiation, resulting from fright.

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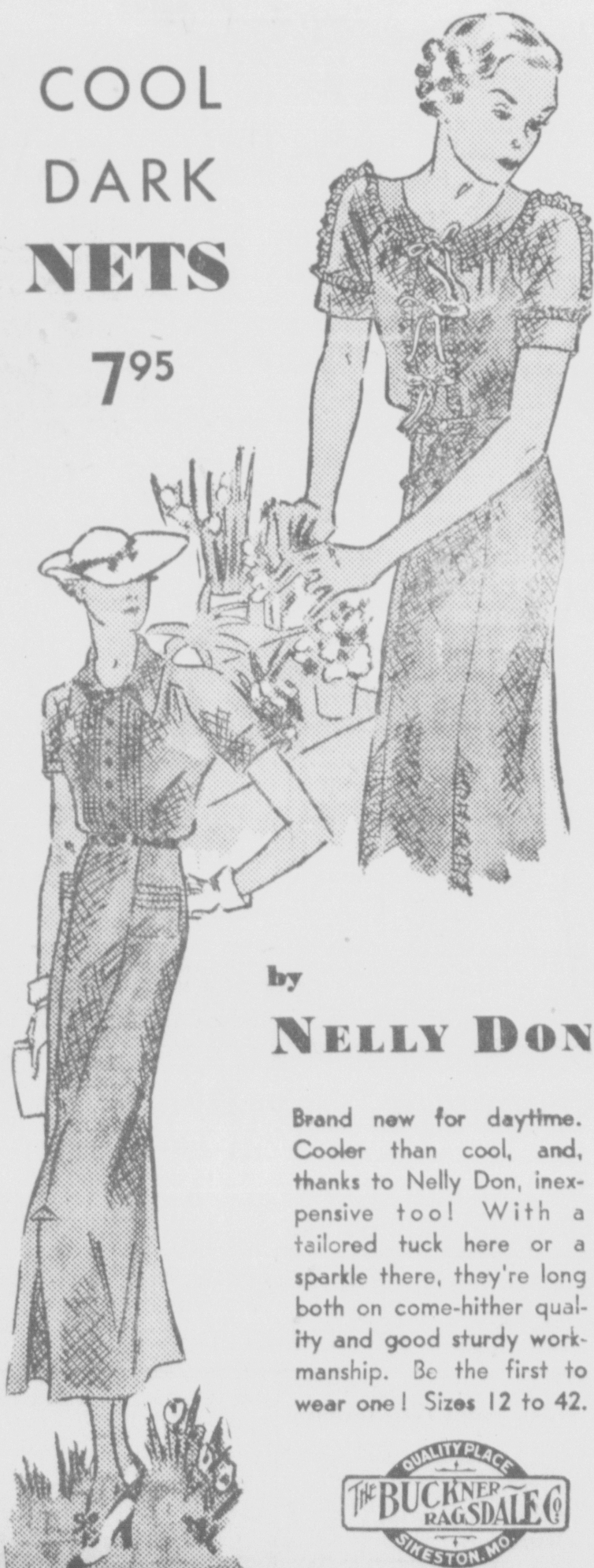
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Personal and Society News From Oran

Mrs. Jerome Blocker and Mrs. Mary Shingler were shopping in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mr. Engle and daughters, Misses Minnie and Amanda were Sikeston visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Baty who is taking a course in beauty culture in Cape Girardeau was quite sick a few days last week. She expects to open a first class, up-to-date beauty parlor in the early fall.

Mrs. Rose Wolfe of Ste. Genevieve came down for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metz, Sr., and to help them celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Tom Baty had business in Sikeston Saturday.

R. W. Harper was in Memphis last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Stehr spent mother's day in Cape Girardeau with their daughter, Mrs. John Knap.

Miss Anna Grice spent Mother's Day at home, returning to Cape Girardeau Monday, where she is under the care of a physician.

Mrs. Kimes was here from Chaffee Friday afternoon.

The stock of dry goods of the Mercantile Co., has been moved in the grocery side, and the entire room re-decorated. It is now much more convenient. C. L. Halford has moved his shoe and harness shop in the front half of the room vacated by the Mercantile Co. Mr. Metz continuing to use the back part. Mr. Halford now has plenty of room.

Mr. Gleason has been painting at the W. A. Maddox store. Mr. Maddox has installed a large refrigerator and will carry a complete line of meat and has also enlarged his grocery department, now occupying the entire room.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley were among those from here who enjoyed the excursion from Cape Girardeau last week on the steamer Capitol.

The Leo Geisner family spent the week-end in Perryville with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burrus and small daughter of Flat River spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Odda Dunning and little daughter, Joan came home last week from a ten day's visit in St. Louis.

Earl Crader and family moved up from Diehlstadt Saturday, for the summer.

Miss Carra Adams made a business visit in Sikeston Saturday.

Several of the men of the Baptist church attended the Brotherhood banquet in Charleston last Thursday night.

The Crader and Dillingham families attended the commencement exercises in Diehlstadt Thursday night of last week. Paul Crader was a member of the graduating class.

Mrs. Volkert went to De Soto Saturday for a two weeks' visit and also to be present at the graduation of her daughter, Miss Maxine Forrester.

Mrs. Grover Blocker was shopping in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Sunday was the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Uncle Frank Metz and wife and a family dinner was given in their honor at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Joe Vogel. Four of their children were present, the only one unable to attend being Mrs. Caroline Burkhardt of Michigan. 15 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren and several relatives from Advance were present. The ladies brought well filled baskets and a fine dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Metz have a host of friends who hope they will be able to celebrate many more anniversaries.

Sunday was also the 57th birthday of Mrs. Frank Mier and a surprise dinner was given by his wife. Relatives and friends from Oran, Sikeston, Randles, Perkins and Harrisburg were present and all enjoyed the bountiful dinner. Mr. Mier received several nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mabry and

son of Farnfelt were here Friday. Mrs. Mabry's mother Mrs. Myers, who has been visiting them the past week came home.

There was a beautiful mother's day service at the M. E. church Sunday morning. Several special musical numbers were given. A mother and daughter, Mrs. Jas. Bowman and Miss Edna received into church membership and a beautiful bouquet given to Mrs. Lillie Watts for being the oldest mother present and to Mrs. Le Roy Poe, the youngest mother there. Rev. Hansford also preached an excellent sermon. There were no services Sunday night, due to the baccalaureate sermon being preached in the high school auditorium. Closing exercises of the grade school were held Tuesday night.

Mrs. Ralph Wommack and Mrs. J. W. Farris of Bloomfield visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hansford Friday afternoon of last week, bringing with them Billy Couch, grandson of Mrs. Farris, who came to spend the week end with his chum, Bryan Lee Hansford. Sunday afternoon Senator J. W. Farris and Mrs. Farris came after their grandson and visited for a short time in the Hansford home.

Rev. Herbert Holley and Mr. A. J. Rushing, Jr., of Bertrand paid a short visit to the Hansford home just before the County Young Peoples' Union Monday evening.

MISS ELIZABETH PEAL IS WED TO BILL SPENCER

CARUTHERSVILLE, Mo., May 13.—The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Peal of this city, and Bill Spencer of Benton, Mo., has been announced, the ceremony taking place in Marion, Ark., on March 30.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Attorney and Mrs. Elmer

Peal of this city. She is a graduate of the local high school, receiving her higher education in the Caruthersville Junior College, later graduating from Central College at Fayette, Mo., and also attended the University of Missouri at Columbia. For the past year she had been a member of the grammar school faculty here. Mr. Spencer is the son of Probate Judge and Mrs. Oscar Spencer of Benton. He was graduated from Central College at Fayette. He is a member of the school faculty at Benton.

Chaffee School Has New Head

Fred Lewallen, for several years head of schools in the Aniston consolidated district, was elected superintendent of the Chaffee schools Monday night by members of the board of education. Mr. Lewallen will succeed Charles Scott.

1738 CHILDREN LIVE IN TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Seventeen hundred and thirty-eight children between the ages of 6 and 19 inclusive live in the Sikeston school district, according to an enumeration filed Wednesday at the Scott county clerk's office in Benton.

Of this number, 1555 are white children, 785 of them boys and 770 girls. One hundred and eighty-three negroes of school age live in the district: 88 boys and 95 girls.

Many of these children do not attend school. The district includes, besides the space within the city limits, an area north to the Y and east and west a mile.

FINED \$22 ON 5 COUNTS

Harrell Matthews was fined \$3 and costs on each of five counts late Monday when he pled guilty in police court to charges filed

against him after his arrest Saturday by Night Marshall Gid Daniels.

Matthews was accused of being drunk, of disorderly conduct, of taking light bulbs from sockets and breaking them on a residence porch, and of yelling and disturbing the peace after he had been put in jail.

His fines totaled \$22. He was committed to jail until they are paid in cash or labor.

In police court, too, Geene Oliver and Ray Chaney were each fined \$3 and costs for drunkenness. Chaney is working out his fine on the streets. Ora Lee Phillips, a negro woman, was fined the same amount for being drunk and for fighting.

CHARLESTON GOLFERS DEFEAT CAPE GIRARDEAU

Charleston, May 13.—The golf-

ers of the Charleston Country Club defeated the stroke of the Hillcrest Country Club of Cape Girardeau in a Southeast Missouri Golf association round robin tournament, played here yesterday afternoon, 34-6.

This was Charleston's first victory of the season, they having lost their first match, to Sikeston. The Charleston club will take a team to Havil next Sunday.

E. L. McClintock of Cape Girardeau took the low card honors of the tourney yesterday, turning in a 77 for the 18 holes. Lanier Byrd of Charleston was the low shooter for Charleston, carding an 81 for the 18 holes.

Twenty-eight men took part in the match, Cape bringing down fourteen men.

An Invitation to the Coroner

Your chances of being involved

in a fatal automobile accident are much greater on highways than anywhere else. Bad as the urban accident rate is, the death toll is mounting fastest in rural territories, even through traffic is less dense.

Last year 167,000 accidents occurred on highways. The result was 160,000 injuries—and 13,000 deaths. By contrast, 286,000 city accidents caused but 8,000 deaths. In 1934 the rate of death per accident on highways was more than 100 per cent greater than the average for all accidents combined.

The reason isn't hard to find. The modern highway is wide and smooth, rarely congested. It looks safe as your own back yard. And, as a consequence, thousands of drivers relax behind the wheel, and step hard on the accelerator. When a crisis arrives, they react too slowly, or are going too fast

to avoid a smash—and death follows.

That is especially worth remembering, now, with the appearance of summer. Most motorists will be making trips into the country—and they should keep in mind the unhappy fact that somnolence on the highways is an invitation to the coroner.

"PEARLS OF CHINCHORRO", by Herbert Jensen. The Stirring Story of an Orphan's Struggles for a Priceless Legacy. Read It in The American Weekly; the Magazine Distributed With NEXT SUNDAY'S CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER.

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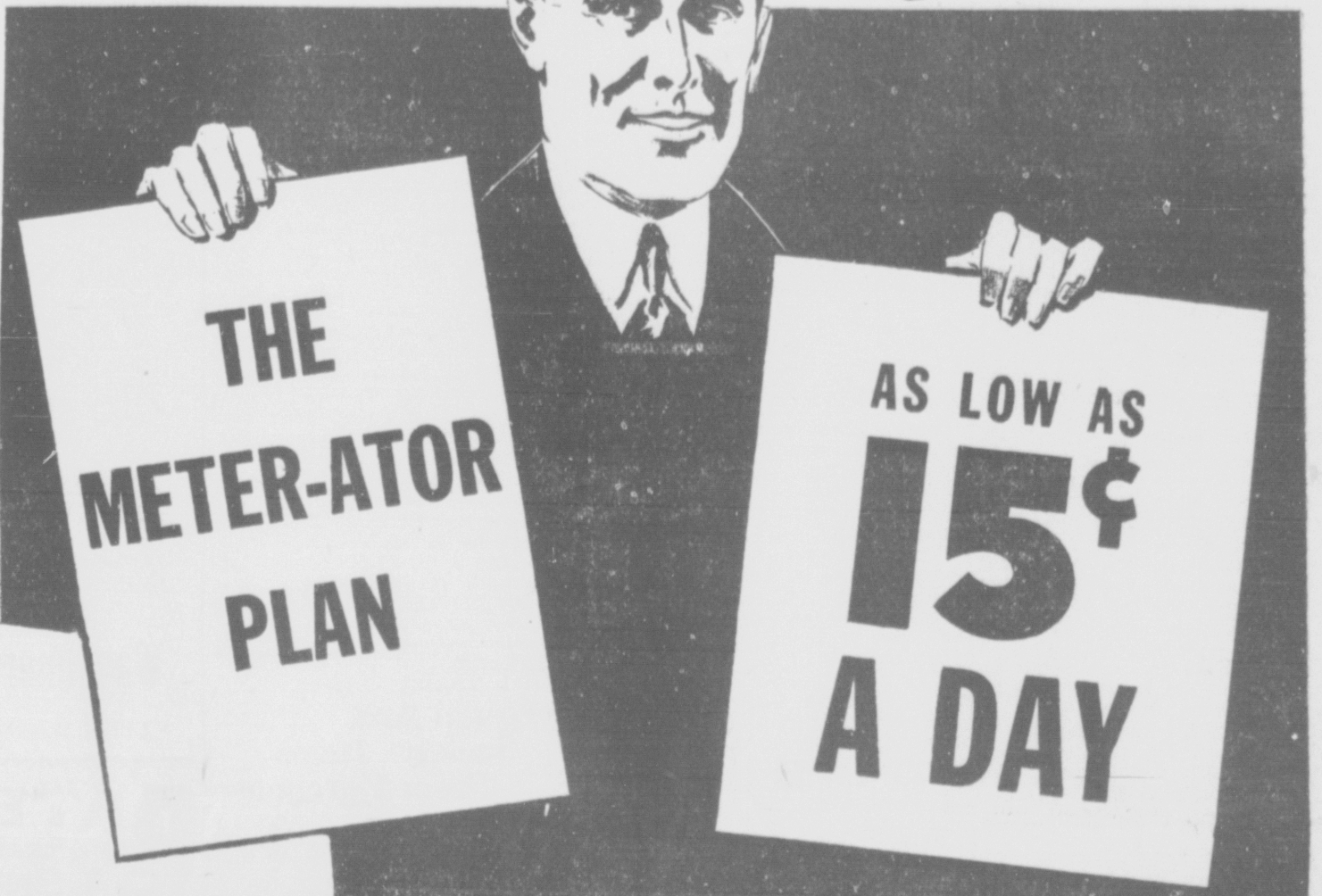
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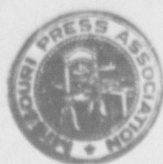
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Harry L. Hopkins, whose function is to expedite public works as fast as allotments are made, has appointed Matthew S. Murray of Kansas City as his aid in Missouri. Mr. Murray for some years has been Director of Public Works in Kansas City, an office to which he was drafted from the Missouri Highway Department. As chairman of the Plans and Specifications Bureau of the Highway Department, he made an excellent record. Mr. Murray's qualifications to expedite public works in Missouri under the \$4,880,000,000 Work Relief Act are admirable. He is one of the men to whom Missouri is obligated for one of the finest highway systems in the nation. He gave a good account of himself in road work when he was a citizen of Sikeston, and he has given a good account of himself in Kansas City and Jefferson City. For present purposes, Kansas City has given him a year's leave of absence. The State will feel that in returning to Jefferson City to become M. Hopkins' accelerator, Mr. Murray will continue his record of fine public work. Post-Dispatch.

Here's the lowdown on the Upper classes! Rounds of parties from darkness to dawn! Fair-weather friends; fair ladies from the chorus and champagne—gal-lons of it! All to hide a broken heart! "I've Been Around" will take you around places you've never been to before! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

George Erickson of Monette, Mo., believes the Leghorn hen he nursed back to health after it wobbled into his yard one day is trying to show her gratitude. She lays eggs with double yolks—an interesting daily double.

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Missourians Activities in Washington

By Foust Roper
WASHINGTON, May 15—Construction of neighborhood roads throughout rural America will give employment to more people, as well as benefit more people, than any other work according to Representative William L. Nelson, who has begun an intensive drive for the building of serviceable, yet inexpensive, roads from the \$4,880,000,000 work relief bill.

Quick, widespread employment would be the effect of such a program. The Columbia congressman asserted: "It is estimated 90 cents out of every dollar would go for labor—in other words, do the things that most needs to be done: put men to work. Nor need there be any long delay. Hundreds of thousands of men can be on the job within thirty days after such a project has been approved."

At an average cost of \$3000 a mile of such all-weather roads could be built for a mere one-sixteenth of the amount carried in the large appropriation. Mr. Nelson is insistent upon requirement that preference be given local labor.

Economy Move

Senator Ashurst: Inasmuch as it is impossible for me to reply to all these telegrams I ask that these telegrams be printed in the Record.

Senator Clark: Mr. President I have no intention of objecting to the request of the senator from Arizona, but I should like to suggest that I have on my desk telegrams which I have received within the last two days to the number of 200 by actual count; and if the senator is going to have the telegrams received by him printed in the Record and every other member of the senate is going to have the telegrams received by him printed in the Record, the Record will expand to unheard-of proportions. So far as I am concerned, as I have said I do not intend to object to the request of the senator from Arizona, but I will object to the request of any other senator to print a lot of telegrams in the Record.—Congressional Record.

The telegrams referred to mainly were in support of the bonus, and following Senator Clark's remarks, none was printed. Cost of printing would have been more than \$55 a page.

Bitter Medicine

A painful throat infection finally drove Representative Wood to consult a physician, who advised the Springfield, Mo., solon temporarily to give up smoking and talking.

"I can lay off cigarettes," Wood remarked to a friend, "but telling a congressman not to talk is like telling a duck not to swim."

Mo. Delegation Scores

Only forty-nine "public acts" had been enacted by congress up to last week. Of these, two applied to Missouri, one granting the Missouri State Highway department authority to build a bridge across Eleven Points river near Alton, in Oregon county; and the other an act extending time for construction of a bridge across the Missouri river at St. Charles, Mo.

Missouri was the only state whose representatives had been able to push two bills into the small amount of legislation which has passed this session.

Truman on Utilities

Senator Truman's office has asked aid in circulating his view on holding companies. Realizing he could never answer all the letters which poured in, the senator recently wrote a number of Missouri papers, taking that manner of replying. In case you did not read it, his stand is as follows:

"My opinion is that regulation is absolutely essential for the holding companies. I also believe that some measure of protection must be given the investing public against the blue sky operator and the unscrupulous promoter who have used the holding companies as a means to rob the small investor."

"My vote will be cast in accord with this view when this legislation comes up before the senate."

Miscellany

Representative Nelson has won his point with the Federal Land Bank and the Home Owners' Loan Corporation; you can now borrow money on property covered by policies in farmer's mutual fire insurance. The government agencies previously had not considered policies in farmers' mutuals as acceptable. . . . Senator Clark was the main speaker at a luncheon here Saturday of the National Council for Prevention of war. . . . Senator Cutting's tragic death caused more than mere formal grief among those who knew him. . . . Senator Truman, Representative Bell and William A. Kitchen, state commander of the American Legion, last week presented formal invitations to the Legion national convention in St. Louis this year to President Roosevelt and Gen. John J. Pershing. The World war leader hopes to attend and also visit his birthplace, LaCade, Mo., at which place Representative Romjue is advocating location of a Pershing memorial park.

The Saturday Evening Post is full of criticism of the New Deal these days. Yet it hit 132 pages last week and is consistently over one hundred each issue these days—as compared to 60 and 70 during the "rugged individualism" era. Gratitudes!

Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

Miss Margaret Patterson of Carrollton, Mo., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maude Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Fisher spent the week-end in Chicago, Ill., and Logansport, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Edwards, of Sikeston were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Edwards, Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Chatron of St. Louis visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McFarling, over the week-end. She was accompanied home by her mother.

Mrs. John Williams of Pine Bluff, Ark., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira Menes.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Schaffer of St. Louis moved here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Russel Beinert and family spent Sunday in Chaffee, Mo.

What can these society youngsters expect from life? Meet the darddevil blueblood who had everything his heart desired except happiness! Meet the debutante heart-breaker who for spite, married the man she did not love. Meet the society pirate who prayed on love and loved for money! Meet the Park avenue Debutante who wasn't happy unless she had another girl's man! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Wilkins of Benton, Ky., spent the week-end here with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Comer of Chicago, were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Brown is very sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Legate of Essex visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reeves, Sunday.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. D. Martin of Vanduser were guests of Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Fox.

City Marshall Wm. James and wife purchased a new oldsmobile, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Legate of Essex spent Mother's Day with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Legate.

Rev. John Fowler returned from Tennessee where he had been holding a revival.

THANKS

School Students

We want to express our thanks to the pupils of the high school for their patronage during the 1934-35 term of school which is closing this week.

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Manager

Mr. Jess Johnson of Cape Girardeau and Miss Alta Alberts of Illinois, visited Mr. and Mrs. Reeves Saturday evening.

Rev. G. R. Tyler, of Campbell, Mo., was guests of Rev. A. C. Sullivan, Saturday.

Love, hurt, disillusion, and parting—nights of revel and days of regret—Then an unexpected climax to the most gala of all nights—New year's eve! What happened between the most eligible bachelor among the bluebloods and the most desirable of the season's Debutantes! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

Jessie Crouch of Lansing, Kan., came Wednesday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Wiley F. Wofford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boyer who were called here by the latter's mother, due to illness, a few days ago, are in Tenn., on business this week and will be here Saturday to accompany Mrs. Atkinson to the hospital at St. Louis.

Libbourn Headlee fell asleep Sunday morning near Advance, as he was coming home and ran into the bannister of a bridge, throwing his car into a ditch and turned over, the car's almost a total wreck, and Libbourn has some severe lacerations and abra-

sions on his head. But at that it was a lucky escape.

Mrs. Maud Chapman of Gideon is visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Dunfee and children.

Mrs. Monroe Dement of Malden is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bradshaw.

Mr. Marshall Puckett of St. Louis, spent the week-end here with his wife.

Mr. Edgie and Charles Sullivan of Paducah, Ky., spent Sunday here with their mother, Mrs. H. E. Sullivan.

Mr. Marshall Puckett of St. Louis spent the week-end here with his wife.

A group of 35 from here attended a Nazarene revival at Malden, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cook and family of Benton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Menes, Sunday.

Ordination services were held at the Baptist church, Thursday night. Rev. W. B. Parrott of Dexter delivered the address. Three deacons were ordained, namely, John Shipman, Bill Bryant, and Orlando Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Comer of Sikeston visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Comer, Sunday.

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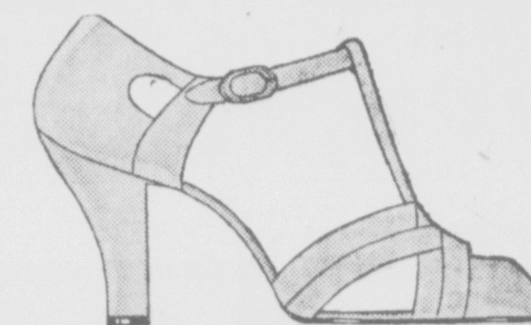
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TERMITE CONTROL

Several inquiries have come in to the County Agent's office regarding infestation of homes by termites. Termites are more commonly called "flying ants" and are rather difficult to control. These pests are usually "denied" around an old shrub, stump, or decaying tree near the house. They usually begin by working in the sills, especially those that are partially decayed and from there find a way into the house.

The most trouble is likely to be caused in houses which are low on the ground and poorly ventilated underneath.

In order to combat these pests, the house should be raised and put on a brick or concrete foundation, and allow for good ventilation underneath the house. Locate where the termites are coming into the house and use kerosene, creosote or gasoline. This calls for care as to fire for a time. Then locate their quarters on the outside and destroy. If you are having trouble your county agent will be glad to discuss the problem with you.

MODERN PLUMBING DEVICES VARIED

New Developments Combine Beauty with Utility in Bathroom Scheme

The marketing of modern plumbing fixtures in colors has made it possible for the bathroom to be relieved from a purpose of mere utility, and transformed into the most interesting room of the house. So varied are the shades obtainable that schemes which express one's individuality can be evolved with ease in the moderate priced residence as well as the more pretentious home.

Simplicity is the main requirement of an attractive bathroom. It can be achieved by starting with the fixtures, whose color will dominate the scheme and determine the tone of the room. Flooring, wall finish and drapes can then be chosen to harmonize; and a highly attractive bathroom will result with a little care and forethought. A bath of dignity can be achieved with black fixtures, a black and green floor, light green and yellow walls, and a touch of brightness in the drapes. Ceilings.

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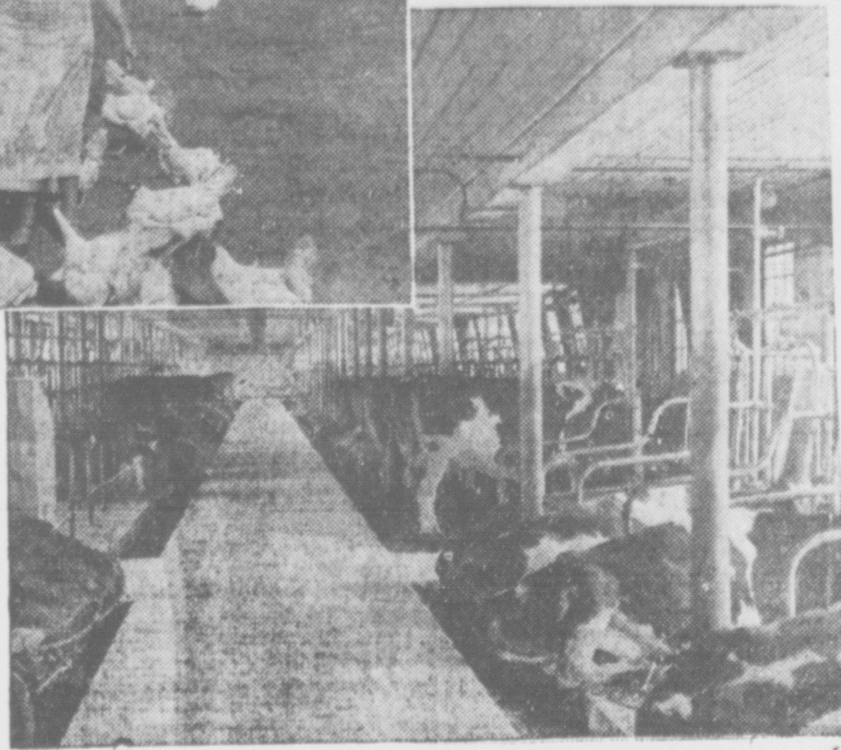
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Designs which employ flowers motifs are always in good taste, especially when the flowers are scattered rather loosely about on



as in all cases, should be a light and subdued shade, such as buff, cream or gray.

Ideal for a sunny room is a bath with royal blue fixtures, a dark green floor, light green walls and salmon pink drapes.

Pale brown fixtures, a medium blue floor, pale orchid walls and drapes of light green will impart cheer to a dark room.

Interior Decorators now Offered Wallpaper In Variety of Designs

Wallpaper has for many years been a popular wall finish because of its infinite variety of colors, designs and effects. In keeping with the modern trend, manufacturers have developed wallpapers which are more attractive and of better quality than the old papers, and thoroughly conforming to the present-day requirements in decoration.

Not long ago, a papered room could never be rearranged without patches of unfaded wall being brought into view. With this problem in mind wallpaper manufacturers developed after long experimentation a new scientifically-colored paper, which cannot be harmed by the strongest light.

In addition to being color-fast, many papers today are damp-proof. Water proof and even washable papers are available for kitchens, baths, nurseries and other rooms where such papers might be desired. More different designs and effects are offered than ever before. Many reproductions of

a plain ground and surrounded with a great deal of open space.

The new modernistic designs are adaptable to modern rooms, and often are effective in traditional rooms. There are modern papers in black and white which give the effect of pen and ink sketches applied on the wall. These are very attractive in small writing or powder rooms, especially with black wood work lined with silver.

An infinite selection of "whoopie" patterns to gladden the hearts of merry-makers is available for the recreation room in the basement or other part of the house. For children's playrooms, there are mother goose characters and story-book scenes. There is a wallpaper, in fact to solve every background problem.

In order to insure correctness throughout the house, a competent decorator should be consulted. There is always plenty of room, however for the exercising of individual tastes, which should never be sacrificed if the house is to possess "personality."

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who assisted us in our bereavement of the loss of our beloved daughter and sister, Louise, also for the beautiful floral offerings. We especially want to thank Rev. R. J. Reynolds for his consoling words.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Martin and family.

Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Rev. and Mrs. Herschel Yates were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cowgour.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shelton were called to Paducah Kentucky Saturday by the serious illness of Mrs. Shelton's father, W. M. Childers.

Miss Helen McGee entertained with a farewell party and handkerchief shower Thursday evening in honor of Miss Wanda Poe who with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Poe, will leave in a short while for Charleston, where they will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Critchlow are the proud parents of a fine baby girl which was born Saturday, and who has been named Sue Carolyn.

Mrs. Sherman Hill and Mrs. J. H. Woods of Hayti spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting with friends and relatives.

W. R. Binford and brother Leonard Binford of Morehouse made a business trip to Clinton, Ky., Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rogers of East Prairie, Mrs. Hollie Warren and Hall Puckett of Laforge, and Mrs. Sallie Fox of this place were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Amanda Long.

Mesdames Elizabeth Winchester and Essie Blaylock and daughter of Murray, Ky., visited friends in Matthews from Thursday until Sunday, and attended the commencement exercises held Thursday evening. Mrs. Blaylock's son, Paul was a member of the graduating class.

Miss Thelma Hildebrandt of Memphis, arrived Monday for a visit with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hildebrandt.

A joint surprise birthday supper was given for Messrs Paul Jones and Richmond Lewis at the country home of Mr. Jones Friday evening. A number of friends were present to aid in the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Westerfield of East Chicago, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Zonie Westerfield and daughter, Patsy of Canolou visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm Deane, Jr. Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loy Roberts and little daughter of Essex, and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Cole and children and Wakeman Gullett of this place were 12 o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Roberts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline T. Hope of Cape Girardeau are here visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Whitten.

Mrs. Thos. Holderby of Sikeston spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. Menda Atchley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Patton, daughter Betty Eileen, and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Miller were guests of Mrs. Maggie Hunott Sunday.

Mesdames F. D. Morgan of this place and Elizabeth Winchester, of Murray, Ky., spent Saturday in Sikeston with Mrs. Lillie Kaiser. Mrs. Elizabeth Winchester and Mrs. Essie Blaylock of Murray, Ky., and Mrs. Maggie Hunott of this place visited Mrs. J. H. Dickerman Friday.

Great Britain has a new type fifteen inch gun for mounting on battleships which can shoot its projectiles through fifteen inch armour plate and then travel nine miles farther.

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT WILL BEGIN WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The first games of the city softball league schedule will be played on the high school athletic field Wednesday night when Sikes Hardware and the Lions club teams meet at 7 o'clock and the H. & L. drug store and the national guard company groups play at 8.

The doubleheader will be free to the public, who may see the opening games of teams playing in two four-team leagues the National and the American. Sikes Hardware, the Lions, the American Legion, and the highway department teams comprise the National league; while the H. & L. drug store, Buckner-Ragsdale's the national guard, and the Midwest Dairy Products groups are in the American.

Team managers will meet at the athletic field at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon. Mr. Lancaster said, to arrange final details of the tournament and to mark off the field.

All games will be free except those in the championship series, to which a 5-cent admission charge will be made.

Because members of the American Legion post softball team could not play on some of the nights set down for them in the league schedule, the schedule has been changed slightly by Jack Lancaster, who has been active in planning the league play.

The revised schedule:

May 22—Sikes vs. Lions; H. & L. vs. Guard.

May 24—Midwest vs. Buckner; Legion vs. Highway.

May 29—Guard vs. Buckner; Lions vs. Highway.

May 31—Sikes vs. Legion; Midwest vs. H. & L.

June 5—Sikes vs. Highway; H. & L. vs. Buckner.

June 7—Legion vs. Lions; Guard vs. Midwest.

June 12—Lions vs. Sikes; Guard vs. H. & L.

June 14—Midwest vs. Buckner; Legion vs. Highway.

June 19—Buckner vs. H. & L.; Highway vs. Sikes.

June 21—Lions vs. Legion; Guard vs. Midwest.

June 26—Lions vs. Highway; Guard vs. Buckner.

June 28—Midwest vs. H. & L.; Legion vs. Sikes.

July 3—Guard vs. Buckner; Lions vs. Highway.

July 5—Legion vs. Sikes; Midwest vs. H. & L.

July 10—H. & L. vs. Buckner; Highway vs. Sikes.

July 12—Legion vs. Lions; Midwest vs. Guard.

July 17—H. & L. vs. Guard; Sikes vs. Lions.

July 19—Highway vs. Legion; Buckner vs. Midwest.

July 24—Highway vs. Sikes; Buckner vs. Midwest.

July 26—Guard vs. Midwest; Lions vs. Legion.

July 31—Highway vs. Sikes; Buckner vs. Guard.

August 2—Sikes vs. Legion; H. & L. vs. Midwest.

August 7—H. & L. vs. Guard; Sikes vs. Lions.

August 9—Highway vs. Legion; Buckner vs. Midwest.

Postponed games will be played on August 14 and 16. The championship series will be played on August 21, 23, 28, and 30.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT ENTRY BLANKS NOW AVAILABLE

Application blanks for entrance in the city-wide tennis tournament are now ready to be filled out at the H. & L. drug store, Jack Lancaster said Wednesday.

The deadline for entry will not be until July 1 and tournament play will not start until July 15, but residents intending to compete are urged to apply early. A 10-cent entry fee will be charged so that trophies may be bought for winners in the junior and senior singles matches and medals for each member of the championship doubles team.

An athletic committee of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the tournament sponsor, will arrange brackets, hold drawings for pairings, and appoint or approve referees for each match. Any man 20 years old or less may enter the singles division, and men 21 and more, the senior group. No age limitations have been placed on entrance in the doubles division. Junior chamber members are hoping enough women will enter so that a woman's singles division match may be held.

Preliminary matches will be decided by two out of three sets. For the semi-finals and finals, three of five sets will determine the winners if contestants agree to this before they play.

Tennis enthusiasts may practice now on Frank Van Horne's, Ross Killgore's and Leroy Heisserer's courts, and on the court behind the high school when it is finished soon after the school term ends.

Every seventh man in the Navy is under 21 years of age, while 40,000 out of 77,000 are under 25 years of age.

THIS SHOULD INTEREST MR. AVERAGE MOTORIST

Mr. Average Missouri Motorist drove his car 9,645 miles in 1934 and consumed 643 gallons of gasoline while doing it, an annual report for last year by Roy H. Cherry, state oil inspector, discloses. The average motorist, incidentally, paid \$115.74 for his gasoline.

A prosperity note in the report was that the consumption of gasoline last year was in excess of the amount used in the peak year of 1931. Collections of the oil inspection department, the report continued, increased \$39,164.15 over the peak year, with a decreased collection expense of \$26,784.71, compared with 1931.

Buy Missouri Made Goods

In a review of the work of the State Central Purchasing agency, George C. Johnson, state purchasing agent, declares that in the two years in which the agency has existed a half-million dollars more of Missouri made goods has been bought for state use than in any similar period. No articles made outside the state are bought, he said, when domestic goods of equal quality and price may be obtained.

The agency is buying for 50 state departments and 24 state public institutions at this time. The savings, the review states, on gasoline, oil, tires and furniture alone, compared with prices previously paid equal the cost of operating the department.

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AGOGA CLASS TO HAVE BANQUET TUESDAY NIGHT

Sixty-eight members of the Agoga Class of the First Baptist church met in the Agoga Hall Sunday morning for the regular Sunday morning class period. James McClelland favored the group with a vocal solo, following which the teacher, Jack Johnson, brought a very interesting lesson on "Mother and Church."

Fifteen members of the class were present Tuesday evening for the regular weekly fellowship meeting. At this meeting plans were made for the banquet to be held next Tuesday night. This banquet is to be given by the teachers in the April membership contest, with members of the winning side as honor guests. All who attended the class during the month of April are cordially invited to be present.

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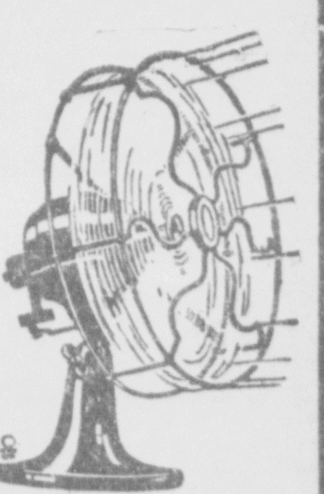
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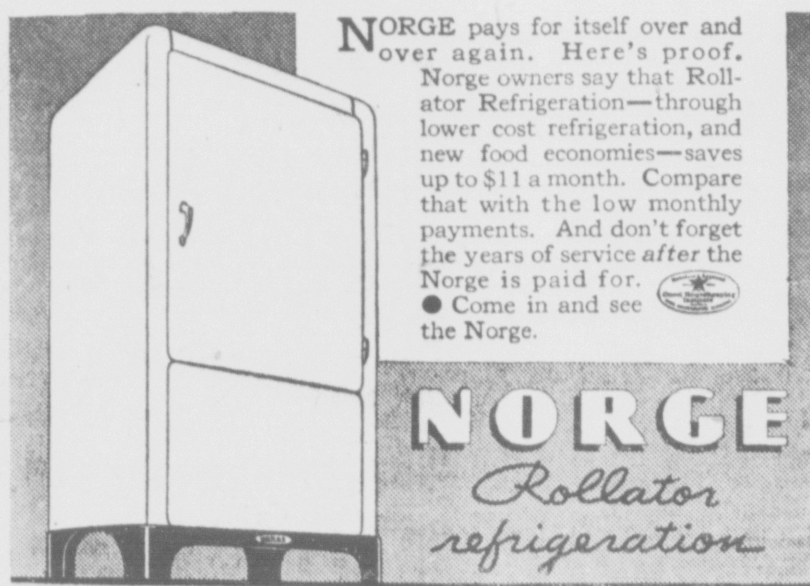
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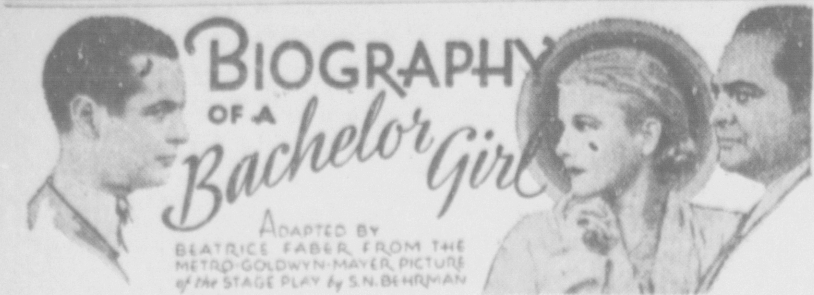
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CHAPTER TWO
The Mysterious Stranger
WHAT HAS HAPPENED BEFORE
Marion Forsythe, famous portrait painter, as just arriving from Europe on the Mauretania. She is met by her aunt, by Melchor Feydak, an old friend from Vienna, by newspaper men, and by Richard Kurt who is about to make her a curious proposal.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY
Marion stared back at Kurt while the clock ticked away thirty seconds. What could he possibly mean? She shrugged her shoulders and threw him a quizzical glance. "Well—perhaps I'd better go into this," she said.

The two reporters snickered. Kurt's face assumed a look of boredom at what he considered a rather poor joke. At this Marion quickly gestured to the door. "Boys, would you mind? I'll see you on deck."

Minnie smiled on them benignly at the door. "Goodbye gentlemen." "Now, if you don't mind stepping into the other room while I get into some clothes. I'll—" Marion was saying to Kurt when he interrupted her angrily. "I do mind. I am not going to wait any longer. Your state of undress means nothing whatever to me."

Marion found herself silently admitting that he was undoubtedly telling the truth, for his stern impersonal glance certainly held no interest, let alone admiration for the silken clad figure that stood before him.

In spite of herself she felt a moment of pique. Many great men, statesmen, ambassadors, world financiers, had waited for her longer than had this—this young upstart who was now fusing over a few unimportant minutes. She checked herself for her natural generosity came forward to soften her irritation. He wasn't in upstart, she reproved herself. He was a serious young man with a purpose, and as such deserved her courtesy. However boats must dock and precedent had established that passengers leave fully clothed. She touched her negligee.

"But you can't expect me to get



"What a very great honor it is to meet you, Mr. ——" Her words were left dangling in mid air and her face froze into stillness.

off the steamer like this." She pleaded. "Well then, go ahead and get dressed. I won't stop you, but," he added with rising ebullience, "you'll either listen to my proposition now—or I go."

"Look here, young man, I resent being treated like a—like—" Kurt flung at her insultingly.

Marion opened her mouth to speak, then closed it firmly. Finally she said in a hard, tight voice, "you'd better go."

"Right," Kurt turned on his heel with firm intention. And with the realization that he really meant to leave, all Marion's animosity evaporated into thin air. Only curiosity was left, a curiosity that had to be appeased.

"Wait a minute," Kurt turned and leaned negligently against the door. "Mr.—say what is your name?" Her frank grin offered him her friendship.

Kurt heaved an exasperated sigh. "Kurt. Richard Kurt. With a K."

"With a K?" Marion mentally noted that it should have been "C." "You're a violent young man, aren't you?" she asked as if she were inquiring as to his preference in ties.

He answered her as literally as she had asked the question. "Yes. And you're one of those tolerant people. See the best in everyone." He had made no attempt to conceal the sneer in his last words.

But Marion was beginning to enjoy the altercation. "You say that as if tolerance were a crime."

"It is." There was an unreasonable bitterness in Kurt's voice. "It's criminal because it encourages dishonesty, incompetence, weakness and all kinds of knavery."

Marion appraised him thoughtfully for a moment. "You're also a fanatical young man."

Kurt nodded in perfect agreement. "Having said that you think you dispose of me?" He made a slightly patronizing gesture. "Well, all right, I'm disposed of."

His air of condescension did not escape Marion. His magnanimity in being "disposed of," clearly said that he did not consider her worthy of further argument. Now sheer amusement took hold of her. The corners of her mouth tipped up in a smile.

"All right," She gestured towards a chair. "Sit down." Taking up her dress, she stepped behind the screen with Minnie. "Go on."

"I am the editor of a magazine called 'Every Week,' he began. "Do you know it?"

"Think I've seen it on the news-stands. But I'm afraid I've never read it." Her reply floated out from behind the screen. Kurt's answer startled her a little. It was the first word of commendation she had received from him.

"That is a tribute to your discrimination," he said. "We have an immense circulation. Three million, I believe. With a circulation that size you may imagine what

the average intelligence of our readers must be."

"However, we occasionally flatter our subscribers by printing the highbrows. In discreet doses we give them Shaw, and Wells, and Chesterton. So," he finished, "you'll be in good company anyway."

"One amazed eye and eyebrow looked out from behind the screen. "I will!"

"Yes," Kurt rose. "I want you to write your biography to run serially in 'Every Week.'"

"My biography?" Her astonishment was so apparent that Kurt mistakenly hurried to explain.

"Yes. The story of your life." Marion's reply came back with wounded dignity. "I know the meaning of the word."

"Later, of course," Kurt said as if the matter were all settled, "you can bring the biography out as a book."

Marion stepped out, now fully dressed, while Minnie snapped the fastenings on her dress. "Look here, she said, frowning in perplexity, "why did you pick on me? It's obvious you don't think a lot of my talent."

"It's not that," Kurt hastened to assure her. "It's the celebrity of your subjects, and your—friendships with them."

For the second time Marion found herself stung into silence. "You're a brutal young man," she finally answered with a wry smile. "I rather like you."

"Thanks," Kurt said, dryly. "What I want you to tell about is the impulse that made you leave home, that's kept you from settling down into respectable boredom—"

"Young man," Marion said, with an odd tremor in her voice, "you're beginning to make me feel like an institution." And for a moment he had been so full for her.

The short years had been so brimming with joy and laughter that she had never thought of it in retrospect. Too full? She wondered for a moment. Then she gave herself a mental shake. Not too full, for his warm tide had flowed to her as naturally as to the shore. She couldn't have stepped beyond its reach if she would.

Kurt's next words were so ac-

cusatory she had a malicious moment of satisfaction in knowing she had finally pricked his skin.

"Why do you keep calling me young man?" he demanded. "I'm twenty-five."

Feydak entered the room and hurried to Marion. "Liebchen, there's a gentleman from the New York Times out here to see you. I didn't know—" with a sidelong glance at Kurt.

"The Times!" Marion jumped from her chair and started scurrying about the room like an excited rabbit. "people who read the Times order portraits," she said breathlessly. "Portraits with big fat checks attached to them. Beautiful big checks that buy just gobs and gobs of clothes and railroad tickets and heaps of other lovely things. Feydak dear, please say I'll be right out."

She suddenly peered in the mirror and with a horrified exclamation started to rub away the carefully applied makeup. "Too much rouge," she scolded herself. "Where that pale lipstick? Oh, here it is."

Kurt addressed her over her shoulder. "If you don't mind," he said, biting. "I'd like a decision on the matter we've been discussing."

"Well, I'll tell you. I am a painter, not a writer, and I'm not nearing eighty that I should be writing my biography!"

"Why not do it while you're still young, vital, in the thick of life?" Marion jammed her hat on.

"While I'm young and vital and in the thick of life, I'm going to live—not write about it."

In spite of his annoyance, Kurt had business to finish. "The money is pretty good. I am prepared to give you an advance of two thousand dollars."

"My coat," Marion directed Minnie. "Listen, young man, things are difficult with me. Artists have been harder hit in late years than anyone, but that's over. Interest in art is reviving. The fact that the Times sent a man out here to see me proves it." She swung around for Minnie's inspection, then turned and hurried into the living room. "Good morning," she said to the man who had searched for her with Kurt. She extended her hand in the manner of a gracious queen, consciously exerting all her charm.

"Is this Miss Forsythe?"

"Yes, indeed," Marion smiled. "What a very great honor it is to meet you, Mr. —"

Her words were left dangling in mid-air and her face froze into stillness. For directly behind the man Minnie was going through a series of strange contortions, her face was twisted with the silent agony of the message she was trying to convey as she gestured frantically downward with both thumbs.

"Minnie's verdict is 'thumbs down,' and she has always been right. Who is the mysterious stranger? Not even off the boat and Marion's homecoming is already filled with adventurous happenings. Read tomorrow's exciting installment."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

PNEUMONIA FATAL TO JOHN REED OF MINER

John Reed, 60 years old, died of pneumonia early Saturday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith three miles south of Miner Switch.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence at 2:30 Sunday afternoon by the Rev. Finis Jones. Burial was in the Blodgett cemetery.

Mr. Reed was born at Folsomville, Ind., on April 20, 1875, but moved to Blodgett when he was about 18 years old. For fifteen years he was employed at the Blodgett Elevator and Grain Company, and for many years before his death he lived in this district.

He is survived by a cousin, Mrs. Charles Demaris of Sikeston; two step-sisters, Mrs. Jane Smith of Miner and Mrs. Earl Ashton of Marmaduke, Ark., and two step-sons, J. A. Withrow of Sikeston and Peter Withrow of Portageville. Cecil Smith was his step-nephew. Welsh service.

CATHOLIC LADIES TO SERVE DINNER MAY 22

The semi-annual chicken and ham dinner of the Catholic ladies Altar Society, will be served at the Parish Hall Wednesday, May 22. Both dinner and supper will be served, the noon meal to be served at 11:30 and the evening meal at 5:30 o'clock. The public is cordially invited.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our thanks to all our friends for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear brother, John Reed; for the many beautiful floral offerings and especially for the consoling words of the minister. The family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their help and sympathy during the illness and death of our loved one, Opal Elkins Eggers. Also for the beautiful flowers and to the Rev. E. H. Orear for his wonderful sermon and the comforting words of H. J. Welsh. The beautiful songs will be long remembered.

J. R. Elkins, father, A. E. Eggers, husband.

COUNTY CROPS

Scott county farmers put winter wheat at 75 per cent of normal condition compared with 75 per cent in May 1934. The 10-year average condition has been 74 per cent from current yearly farmer reports to the U. S. Division of Crop and Livestock Estimates.

The condition of rye is 75 per cent against 79 per cent in 1934. Hay is 58 per cent of normal compared with 72 per cent last year. Pastures are 75 per cent in Scott county against 63 per cent for May 1934.

PUXICO RESIDENT DIES OF PARALYSIS AT CROWDER

Walter Smith, 69 years old, died of paralysis early Sunday morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Hallie Dye, in Crowder. Mr. Smith had been a resident of Crowder most of his life, but during the last few years he had lived in Puxico. When he became ill a month and a half ago he was taken to Mrs. Dye's home.

Funeral services were held at the residence at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, the Rev. J. T. Self officiating. Burial was in Memorial Park cemetery here.

Besides Mrs. Dye, Mr. Smith is survived by his wife, Mrs. Rachel Smith, of Puxico; another daughter, Mrs. Ruby Yokley, of Crowder; and a son, E. A. Smith, of St. Louis. Welsh service.

MURRAY TANNER TO BE WED JUNE 5 IN WEBSTER

The marriage of Murray Q. Tanner to Miss Marceline Holskamp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Holskamp, will take place June 5 at the home of the bride's parents in Webster Groves. Only members of the two families will attend.

Mr. Tanner is a son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Q. Tanner of Webster Groves, formerly of Sikeston, and a nephew of John L. Tanner of Sikeston. He attended the Sikeston high school before he moved to Webster Groves and later graduated from Washington University in St. Louis. He is now an automobile salesman.

D. A. R. TO MEET WITH MRS. LAURA SMITH

The Kingshighway chapter of the D. A. R. will meet at the home of Mrs. Laura Smith this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. E. P. Crowe assistant hostess. Mrs. Kate Harris will be leader for the afternoon and will have for her subject, "The Cabildo in New Orleans."

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The meeting will be held in the high school auditorium at 7:30 Tuesday evening, May 21, so that merchants may learn of benefits they will derive from the federal government's triple-A program.

In notes sent to towns in Scott, Mississippi, New Madrid, Stoddard, Dunklin, Pemiscot counties, Mr. Swacker asked that merchants attend the session, bringing other business men with them.

Among the speakers will be Mr. Woods, a member of the federal economic board in Washington; and Ide Trotter and C. C. Hearne of Columbia, and C. H. Rhodes of Cape Girardeau, all government officials who have charge of AAA work in Missouri.

Similar meeting will be held Monday night in Cape Girardeau and Wednesday in Poplar Bluff.

LIGHT WATER OFFICE TO BE MOVED NEXT WEEK

The city light and water office will not be moved to its new quarters in the People's bank building until the first of next week.

Since the Southeast Missouri Burial association offices were moved last week to the Shankle building on West Center street, workmen have been busy cleaning the first floor of the People's bank building for its new tenants.

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W. H. CARTER RETURNS AFTER VISIT IN ILLINOIS

Judge W. H. Carter returned Monday afternoon from Carbondale, Ill., where he went Friday to visit his daughters, Mrs. John D. Dill and Mrs. Rex H. Cook.

On Friday evening Judge Carter attended a banquet given in honor of his son-in-law, John D. Dill, who celebrated the thirtieth anniversary of his affiliation with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. Two hundred persons attended the banquet and entertainment, among them company officials from New York City, Chicago, Hannibal, and East St. Louis, Ill.

On Sunday, Judge Carter went to Vienna, Ill., where he was one of 3000 persons present at a Legionnaires convention. Included on the program were numbers by drum and bugle corps of many southern Illinois towns.

PARTY FOR WOODMAN JUVENILES SATURDAY

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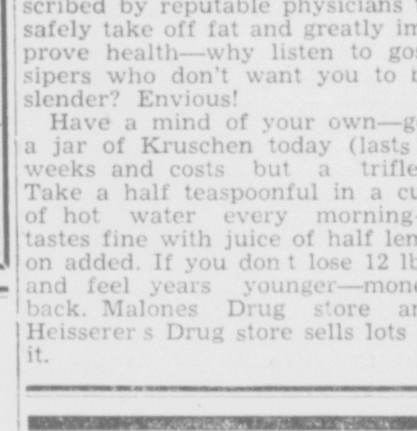
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visitors were present. Games were played following which delicious refreshments were served by Miss Adams.

Reuber Attends Osteopathic Meet

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Reuber went Sunday to Chaffee, where Dr. Reuber attended a meeting of the Southeast Missouri Osteopathic association. At the conclusion of the session association members adjourned until September, when they will convene at Farmington.

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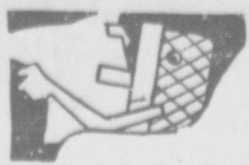
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FOR SALE—Dining room suite and other household items. Phone 137. 31-64.

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WANTED—Timothy Hay. Oscar Meecker, McBride, Mo. 41-65pd.

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HEAVY DUTY BATTERIES—Besides the regular sized USL Batteries, we're stocked for trucks and heavy cars. Camden's Garage.

AUTO TOP REPAIRING—If the top is leaking, have it repaired before upholstery is damaged. Real service at a low price. Henington, phone 217.

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MRS. ANDERSON'S PUPILS TO GIVE RECITAL SAT.

Mrs. Ralph Anderson's pupils will present the following program Saturday evening, May 18, 8 o'clock, at the Presbyterian church:

Two Dances John Williams
Burnice Hauze
Criss Cross John Williams
A Rose in the Garden
Summer Days
The Zoo

Sailing Elizabeth Martin
Lullaby
Clip Clip

The Whale Mary Emma Heath
Old Vienna Safford
Billy John Foley

Sailing Away Cora Jenkins
Rain Drops
Pony Race

Negro Dance Perry
Betty Anderson
Tumble Weed Bliss
Soldiers Chorus—Faust Gounod

Long Ago
Auld Lang Syne
Burnice Hauze

Boy Scout March Martin
Turkey in the Straw
Arrangement by Williams
Bois Reed Council

SIKESTON TO HAVE FLOAT IN MARDI GRAS PARADE

Sikeston will have an entry in the annual Poplar Bluff Mardi Gras parade of floats, it was decided Thursday morning by Chamber of Commerce officials, whose organization will sponsor the float.

A design for the decorated car has not yet been determined. Last year Sikeston won second prize of \$25 with an automobile completely covered with white and pink floral sheeting and topped by a large pergola arch, under which a blacked metallic throne was placed. In the 1933 competition Sikeston won first place in the parade with a float of purple and white.

Because previously no discrimination was made between floats made by professional decorators and those by amateurs, a Mardi Gras committee has divided the contest into two sections. Prizes for professional entries will be \$50 for first; \$25 for second; \$15 for third and \$10 for fourth. Amateurs will receive \$25 as first prize; \$12.50 as second; \$7.50 as third and \$5 as fourth.

Mrs. Herman Henry will drive Sikeston's float this year, and Miss Louise Davis, the queen will ride on it in the annual parade.

MRS. IRA SHUFFITT'S TWO SISTERS HURT IN WRECK

Mrs. Ralph Huff of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. Clarence Weekley of Salinas, Calif., who left here Sunday for their homes, were badly injured in an automobile accident at Albuquerque, N. Mex. Mrs. Ira Shuffitt, their sister, learned in a message she received Tuesday.

Mrs. Weekley suffered a fractured pelvis and Mrs. Huff a fractured leg, a physician notified Mrs. Shuffitt. Both women are now patients in the Presbyterian hospital at Albuquerque.

Mrs. Shuffitt did not learn details of the accident.



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Personal News of Sikeston

by Mrs. C. M. Harris, Phone 581

Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Alberson and daughter, Kitty, and Mrs. Tom Meyers spent Sunday in Osceola, Ark., with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cramer.

Welter's Honey Flake Wheat Bread, Natures Laxative. Made with crushed wheat and pure honey. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

Miss Emily Blanton is spending the week at Cape Girardeau, the guest of Miss Mildred Myers.

A city penthouse—A country mansion—Exclusive clubs—Ritz Resorts—He had everything He wanted except the thing he wanted most! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

An all-day picnic was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bean, of Tallapoosia, Mo., Sunday. When the following relatives motored there with their lunches: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bean and children, Mildred, Wanda, and Harold of Gray's Ridge, Miss May Bean, of Tallapoosia, Mo., Sunday Home Greenlee and children, Zeena, Elmer, and Charlotte Jean, of Sikeston; Mrs. Bernard Crain and daughter, Berneda June, of Sikeston, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Drake and children, Charles, Virginia, G. D. Gene, Daphna and Shirley Jo, of Canolau; Mrs. John A. Hitt and granddaughter, Mary Lucille Marshall of Sikeston; Mrs. Sarah Hannah and children, Paul, Cecil, Eugene and Irene of Richwood; and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bean and three daughters of Tallapoosia, Miss Myrtle Henderson, of Sikeston was also a guest. An enjoyable time was had by all.

Enjoy a delicious chicken and ham dinner and supper at the Parish Hall Wednesday, May 22, given by the Catholic ladies; tickets only 50c.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Andros and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duncan were visitors in Dyersburg, Tenn., Sunday.

Even a man with millions is not immune to love! Here's the drama of a blueblood who carried the torch for one of the richest girls in the world! Rex theatre, Saturday and Sunday.

Betty Lynn Sizemore, of St. Louis is visiting her grandfather, O. M. Hicks of Sikeston.

STOMACH ULCER, GAS PAINS, INDIGESTION victims, why suffer? For quick relief get a free sample of Udgas, a doctor's prescription, at Whites Drug Store. (5-3-10-17-24-31).

Dr. B. F. Blanton and daughter, Miss Emily, will leave for Paris, Mo., Sunday morning, for a short visit.

The new Brother is Welter's De Luxe Egg Bread. Made of pure creamery butter and strictly fresh eggs. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

FOR GRADUATION

PERMANENA \$1.00

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MRS. FINNEY BEAUTY SHOP

Dixie Hicks, of St. Louis, is visiting her father, O. M. Hicks, of this city. She will be here for a couple of weeks.

See Meldrum & Son for paper hanging. Phone 611. tf-50

The condition of Mrs. Tom Allen, who was brought home Saturday from St. Louis, where she had been a patient in St. John's hospital for ten days, was slightly improved Thursday.

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Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniel and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brase and daughter, Nancy Ruth of Poplar Bluff were visitors in Cape Girardeau on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Arthur Lockhart, Mrs. Dal Harnes and Virgil Harnes returned Monday night from St. Louis, where they had visited with Mrs. Harnes' sister, Mrs. A. B. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Priest and daughters went to Charleston, Tuesday night to be present at the 50th wedding anniversary of Mrs. Priest's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Steele. A dinner was served at 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Johnson, Mrs. Frank Killian and son, Donald Ray of Delta, spent the day Tuesday here with Mr. Johnson's mother and sister, Mrs. A. C. Johnson and Mrs. Jas. A. Moccabee.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Sitzes and children were in Charleston, Sunday, visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Sitzes and Mrs. Louisa Tharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharron Pharris and son, Jimmie, spent the latter part of the week in Cape Girardeau, visiting Mrs. Pharris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Cotner.

Mrs. Jack Johnson, Mrs. Verne Oglesby, Mrs. Tessie Lee and Miss Helen Johnson were visitors in Cape Girardeau, yesterday.

Mrs. Randall Wilson, Mrs. Billie Keith, Mrs. A. A. Harrison, Mrs. H. E. Reuber and Miss Nan Wilson were Memphis, Tenn., visitors on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pate were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Art Sensenbaugh, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Johnson of Mt. Vernon, Mo., will arrive today (Friday) to visit the remainder of the week here with Mr. Johnson's brother, Jack Johnson, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Garwood Sharp are now located in the Felker apartment, having moved to same on Wednesday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Russell-Bradley Missionary Society was held on Tuesday night with Mrs. James Matthews, Misses Isabelle and Carrie Hess were assistant hostesses. The regular business of the society was transacted, followed by a social hour. The hostesses for June will be Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Sayers Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Clarkson and son, Frank, Jr., and Miss Virginia Stultz of University City, are expected to visit here during the latter part of the week with Mrs. Clarkson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Converse.

Mrs. Miley Limbaugh, who is still confined to her home due to rheumatism is reported to be slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schulte and children spent Sunday in Jackson, visiting with Mrs. Schulte's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Laenke.

Lyman York and Miss Lucille York of St. Louis visited here Wednesday morning with their aunt, Mrs. E. H. Smith, Miss Vivian York also of St. Louis, accompanied them to Sikeston and remained for a 10 days' visit with Mrs. B. B. Engram and family.

The Friendship Circle of the Woman's Benefit Association, was entertained last night (Thursday) by Miss Rebecca Pierce.

Mrs. W. B. Lacy was reported to be better yesterday morning. She has been confined to her home the past two weeks suffering from laryngitis.

James Crooks, after visiting here since Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Crooks, returned to his home in St. Louis, Wednesday. Mrs. Crooks accompanied her son home for a few days' visit.

Jack Shuppert returned home from Lawrenceville, Ill., the latter part of the week, where he

had visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shuppert, since January. Mr. Shuppert's condition is reported to be about the same.

Mrs. John Fox and Miss Rebecca Pierce expect to go to St. Louis the last of the week to attend the state rally of Woman's Benefit Association, held there on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at the Gatesworth Hotel. Miss Pierce, District Deputy, will be delegate, while Mrs. Fox will go as Alternate to the rally. On Wednesday, Mrs. Fox will attend a school of instruction for financial secretaries, which will be conducted by Miss Frances D. Partridge, Supreme Record Keeper, of Port Huron, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hatfield and daughter, Margaret Ann, were dinner guests on Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cowan at Dexter. They also attended the eighth grade graduation exercises held there that night. Ben Cowan, Jr., was a member of the class.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mount, Mrs. F. E. Mount and Miss Lucille Mount spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Turner at Kennett.

Among those from the First Baptist church who attended the Southern Baptist Convention, held in Memphis, Tenn., this week, were: Rev. Verne Oglesby, Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Garrison, Mrs. O. G. Walker, Mrs. Nellie Estes, and Miss Grace Estes. Mrs. Harry Minton of St. Louis, sister of Mrs. Walker, also attended the meeting.

Word from Ed Cook, a patient at the St. Francis Hospital, Cape Girardeau, is that he is getting along fine. It is thought, if he still continues to improve, he will be able to return home Sunday.

The Philathea class of the Methodist Church will hold a bake and rummage sale on Saturday in the old bank building.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brase and daughter, Nancy Ruth, returned to their home in Poplar Bluff Sunday evening. Mrs. Brase and daughter visited from Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. McDaniel, while Mr. Brase joined his family on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Meredith Lee were visitors in Piedmont, Sunday.

Jack Matthews and Dr. C. T. Old were business visitors in Memphis, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Boyer went to St. Louis, yesterday, on a business trip. They will return today.

Why bother with cooking your meals at home when you can get a delicious chicken and ham dinner and supper at the Parish Hall, Wednesday, May 22, for 50c.

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POLITICAL MEETING AT BENTON SATURDAY

The Scott County Women's Democratic Club will hold their regular monthly meeting at the Court House in Benton Saturday afternoon, at two o'clock when the following program will be given: Mrs. J. E. Johnstone—C. C. C. Mrs. Lora McClain—F.S.H.C. Miss Gertrude Bean—Federal Communications Commission.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our grateful appreciation to friends and neighbors for assistance rendered and sympathy given in the long illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, Martha Jane Malcolms, who passed away Saturday, May 11, 1935—P. M. Malcolms and children.



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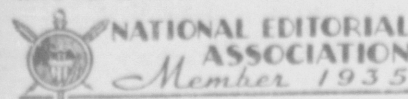
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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR



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Pleas Malcolm, who has been associated with The Standard for many months has the especial sympathy of the force in the loss of his mother for he stood by and passed up business opportunities to be close to his father and mother, both of whom were invalids for several years. The husband who is left behind has the sympathy of a legion of friends to whom he ministered as a physician in the years of practice in the community. The children have the sympathy of all who have lost a mother—their best friend, as this mother was one who devoted her life to her home, her husband and her children. God alone, and time can only soothe aching hearts in such a loss.

Ramelle Canoy, a pupil of the Sikeston schools, has had a perfect attendance in four years, and tardy but one time. She is to be congratulated in having such good health and to be so interested in school work.

Well, well. We notice where most of the brains were removed from a woman in Louisville hospital, and she was much brighter after the operation. We are afraid to say what we intended to when starting this paragraph.

FIGHT ON ARMY WORMS TO START SOON HERE

Farmers may be forced to begin fighting army worms about Sunday, one Scott county landowner thinks.

On his farms the worms are now feeding, staying in the wheat fields to strip stalks of blades. When they move toward his corn and cotton he will begin killing them.

Army worms appear in early spring from eggs laid by moths. At first they can scarcely be seen, but as they feed they grow rapidly. They are now about an inch long, the landowner said, and often become as large as a lead pencil and an inch and a half long.

Since excessively hot weather drives them into the ground, they are now thriving in the unusual coolness of May. Last year they did not appear in great numbers, probably because temperatures were high almost continuously after the first of April, but this year they are threatening to destroy crops which promise unusually large yields.

Ordinarily farmers do not bother with them when they feed in wheat fields since they do not of ten harm the heads, but when they begin to move into corn and cotton tracts, efforts are made to stop them. By the method most commonly used and the one considered most satisfactory here, farmers plow out trenches around fields they wish to protect. Then as the worms start to cross the small valleys and find difficulty in reaching another field since they slide in the loose dirt, farmers hitch a horse or mule to a log and drag it over the trenches, crushing the worms.

When they migrate, the worms crawl close together, and in years when they thrive, the earth seems to move as they pass over it. Residents recall seeing the worms traversing highways in a wide living line so thick and deep that car wheels skid as they are driven over them. And a landowner remembers that once when the worms were particularly thick, he tried to run his car wheels over a trench made on his farm with little success since they slid so over the worms.

In cotton and corn fields, army worms eat all of the young plants exposed above the ground, leaving the fields bare and dead. And when they are filled and harried by heat, they dig into the earth and enclose themselves in cocoons, where they slowly develop

into moths. Emerging later, the moths lay eggs which hatch into the larvae, the stage in development when the species (in the form of army worms) is most destructive.

WEDEL SUES FOR DIVORCE

In a petition filed Tuesday in the Scott county circuit court, Ray B. Wedel, an employee of the state highway department here, seeks divorce from Eileen Wedel. A hearing on the action has been scheduled for the August term of court. Mr. Wedel, who was married on August 8, 1930, charges general indignities in his petition. He will be represented by Roger Bailey. Mrs. Wedel's attorney is Robert Dempster.

PLEADS GUILTY TO ASSAULT AFTER RAPE CHARGE IS DROPPED

Pleading guilty to a charge of common assault on Louise Arnett, Maurice Hart was fined \$25 and costs and sentenced to sixty days in jail Thursday morning. Judge Joseph W. Myers, who heard the case, agreed to stay the jail term if the fine and costs were paid.

Hart, an employee of the Scott County Milling Company, was at first charged with rape of Louise Arnett on Sunday. In a complaint filed Monday, Baby Freeman, Louise Arnett's mother, accused Hart of the crime and listed as witnesses herself, Louise Arnett, and Louise Riddle.

When he appeared in court Thursday, Hart pled not guilty to the rape charge. After an investigation, Prosecuting Attorney W. F. Wilkerson changed the charge to a misdemeanor, common assault, and Hart admitted "hitting, striking, and beating" Louise Arnett with his fists.

The prosecuting witness lives in the west part of town.

GEORGE LOUGH'S FATHER SUFFERS SEVERE STROKE

J. M. Lough suffered a severe paralytic stroke at 9 o'clock Wednesday night at the home of a sister, Penn., relatives learned yesterday. Mrs. John Smith, at Harrisburg, Pa. Physicians considered his condition grave. Leaving at 9 Thursday morning, George Lough, Mr. Lough's son, went to Memphis where he boarded an airplane for Harrisburg. He expected to arrive there Thursday night. The elder Mr. Lough, a native of Pennsylvania, had been visiting relatives in Harrisburg for a month.

NEW REFRIGERATOR SALESMAN

A new display of Norge Refrigerators has been set up in the S and H Auto Parts Store in the Del Rey Building.

Chas. Berthe is in charge of sales and urges everyone to visit the showrooms and see various refrigerators and washing machines on display.

See advertisement elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tyer, Jr., of St. Louis spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Tyer, Sr. They were accompanied home by Mr. Tyer's mother, who visited with them until Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Green of Pine Bluff, Ark., arrived here Sunday for an extended visit with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Green, and her grandson, Robert Green. Mrs. Green was brought here by Harold Green, who left Friday night for Pine Bluff to drive his wife and son home after they had visited Mrs. Green's mother, Mrs. Mabel Roberts, for five weeks.

Neighborhood Personal News From Big Opening

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McGill and daughter, Peggy Ann spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Suttles of near Matthews were visitors at Little Vine Sunday night.

Miss Alfreda Kem and Ferrell Bradford attended the show at Sikeston Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Hastings and family visited friends and relatives in Sikeston Sunday afternoon.

Among those who attended Farmers day held at East Prairie Thursday, were. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz and family, Bessie Newton, Alfreda and Earl Ke... Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Denting, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powell and family, Mr. and Mrs. Marse Bailey and fami-

ly, Miss Addie, Carl D. and Glen Allen Hoover, Pansy and Dee Uthoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem and daughter Bettie Joe, and Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Ayers visited Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Edwards and family of Calvert City, Ky., Wednesday. Ozeal Hastings was the guest of Willie Mae Pearcey Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Brown and Children, and Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cox and family of near Sikeston, and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Kem, were the guests at the Willie Pearcey home, Sunday.

A miscellaneous shower was given last Wednesday night at the home of Mrs. Lula Cooper in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Carter Bell. A large crowd attended and many beautiful and useful gifts were received by this young couple. Games were played after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Kem and family and Mrs. Lorne Moore visited Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Robinson of near Sikeston Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Yamitz shopped in Sikeston Saturday night.

J. J. Vaughn and Mr. R. R. Hoover transacted business in New Madrid Monday.



Samuel E. Boys, editor of the Plymouth (Ind.) Daily Pilot says:

"There is a lot of talk these days about 'social security.' Books have been written about it and now deal statesmen consider it a part of their plan to make over the economic and social laws and customs of this nation.

"By social security is meant that every man, woman and child shall be secure in having the comforts of life; that none will have to worry about want during life or in old age. Can we have this social security without giving up something which is worth far more than security?

"And shall be say, as a nation or as individuals, that everybody shall be secure in the comforts of civilized life no matter what he does? Shall the man who saves and strives and thinks carefully for his physical and mental comfort be compelled to pay out of his savings to support in comfort the one who squanders his substance in riotous living, and wrecks his physical and mental life by his excesses?

"If that is attempted, we might as well go farther and have the churches guarantee also that every person shall go to Heaven or the Happy Hunting Grounds, regardless of what his life has been.

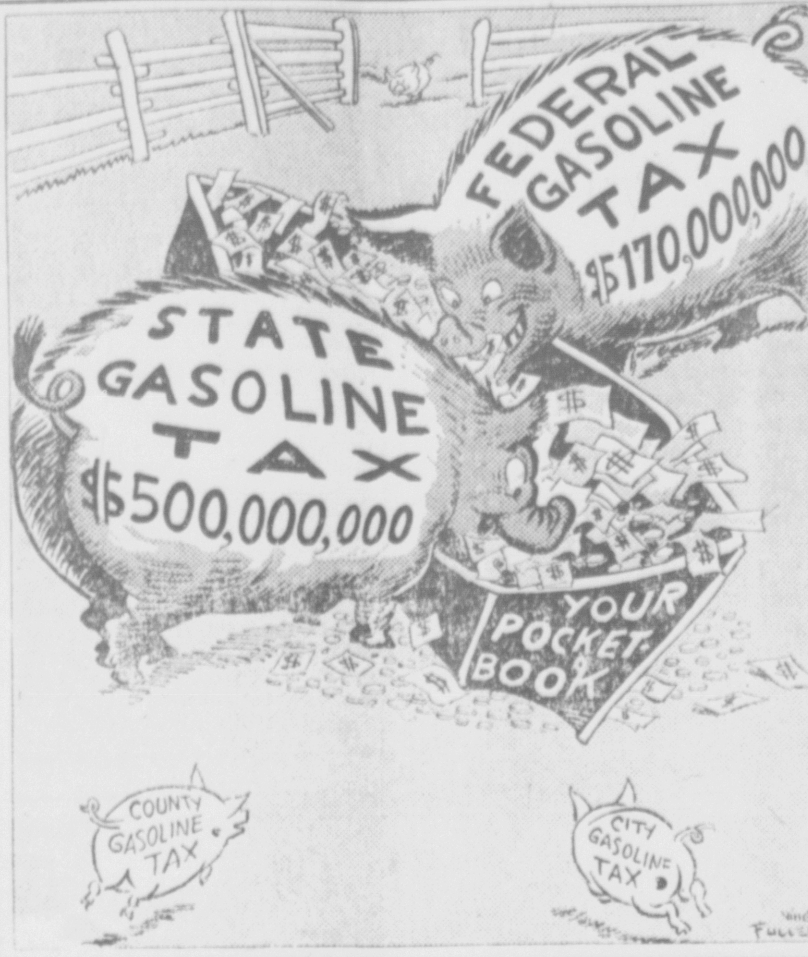
"This is a hard problem. Certainly every person who fails or comes to a sorry condition in life by no fault of his own should be cared for in some way. But just as certainly he who wastes his substance and his life by careless living is not entitled to any governmental aid.

"If life were made socially secure, all striving and worry taken from the shoulders of men and women, the human race would rapidly deteriorate and our civilization would disappear. We are made. Human beings must strive to accomplish, either by desire for better things or by compulsion of necessity, in order to make progress.

"There is dispute now as to whether the race has progressed or gone backward during the past two thousand years or more. With 'social security' there would be no question about the rapid backward tendency."

J. Lawrence Foster of North Andover, Mass., lifted the hood of his automobile to see what stopped the car so suddenly. He discovered a cat had climbed into the engine, became entangled in the fan belt and had successfully jammed the works. Curiosity killed the cat.

Why Not Slaughter Some of These Hogs?



ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS NO LONGER LUXURIES

Indications that the electric refrigeration industry is fast moving down into the market levels where increasing sales volume will mean more rapid progress than ever before is seen in the early 1935 sales figures of a number of leading manufacturers in the industry.

Pointing out that the story of the electric refrigerator has been one of gradual change from a luxury to an accepted household appliance, W. P. Whitley of the Whitley Electric Company, local Kelvinator dealers, said that inquiries as well as actual sales so far this year are coming from people in the lower income groups.

"This is a good sign for two important reasons," Mr. Whitley said. "First it stands as proof that the electric refrigeration industry is offering to the buying public this year a group of products priced and designed to provide superior refrigeration service in every type of home. In even the smallest priced cabinets, quality and efficiency combine to create unusual value.

"Secondly, this widening of the market means that the benefits of American business improvement are beginning to reach the people whose spending, in the final analysis, determines the measure of prosperity in this country.

Kelvinator Corporation, with a line of refrigerators especially adapted to the needs of users of this type, believes that its own sales records will show 1935 as a year when this widening of the circle of prospective buyers helped put the industry more than ever before in the front ranks of leading American industries."

LOFTIN CHARGED WITH POSSESSING BLACKJACK

A hearing for Hubert Loftin on a charge of possessing a dangerous, deadly weapon was continued until next Thursday when Robert Dempster, the defense attorney, refused to try the case with a special prosecuting attorney representing the state.

In a complaint filed Tuesday by Al Swaim, Loftin was accused of having a blackjack, with which he intended to strike Swaim at 2:30 Sunday morning, the prosecuting witness said. Because W. P. Wilkerson, the prosecuting attorney, was unable to appear in court Thursday afternoon, he instructed Bob Daugherty to take his place. Loftin was recently bound over to the circuit court on a charge of feloniously assaulting Dick Swaim and at the time of his arrest was free on bond.

NEGRO IS FINED FOR HAVING ILLEGAL LIQUOR

Luther Major, a Sikeston negro, was sentenced to sixty days in jail Thursday when Judge William S. Smith found him guilty of possessing illegal liquor. In Judge Smith's court, too, Lindsay Gale, also a Sikeston negro, was fined \$1 and costs when he was found guilty of disturbing the peace by using bad language and attempting to fight.

NAVAL HUMOR

"You boys of today want to make too much money," said Brown to his nephew. "Do you know what I was getting when I married your aunt?" "No," answered the nephew, "and I'll bet you didn't either."

Conductor: "Did you get home all right last night, sir?" Passenger: "Of course—why do you ask?"

Conductor: "Well, when you got up and gave the lady your seat last night, you were the only two on the car."

Fore: "Hey pal, lend me two dollars."

Aft: "What do you want two dollar for?"

Fore: "Well a book has just been published entitled 'What all Women Crave,' and I want to find out if they spelled my name right."

Caller: "I would like to see the Judge, please."

Secretary: "I'm sorry sir, but he is at dinner."

Caller: "But, my man, my errand is important."

Secretary: "It can't be helped sir, his Honor is at steak."

Patient: "Doctor, is there any danger of the operation proving fatal?"

Doctor: "Really, my good man, considering that we are experimenting on you free of charge, your idle curiosity is hardly good form."

Professor: "Will you men please stop exchanging notes in the back of the room?"

Student: "Them ain't notes, them's dollar bills. We're shooting craps." Professor: "Oh, pardon me."

Joseph Dunkirk paints houses in Danville, Pa. several weeks ago he closed a deal with a landlord, performed what he thought were his duties then went to collect, and then complications started. He had painted the wrong house. And—the owner of the house he had decorated not only refused to pay for the job, but threatened to arrest him for trespassing.

Roy Cochran, a cowboy of Evanston, Wyo., was talking with the boys at the bar. He mentioned that he was fond of eggs and to win a \$3 bet he swallowed 61 raw eggs in 20 minutes and then topped them off with a mug of beer.

Fifty-five years ago Charles H. Wilkins of Columbus, Ohio critically ill of typhoid fever, vowed that he would attend church regularly if he recovered. During the interim he has missed church only five times, and then only because of sickness or death in his family. On his 73rd birthday last week, fellow churchmen tendered him a banquet.

Stanley Simon, 12, crippled had to go to court to see where he lived. The front door of his house opens into San Mateo County, Cal., the back door swings into San Francisco City, the county line dividing the building. The court ruled that he was a resident of San Mateo County, but Frisco authorities waived technicalities so the youth could attend a school for crippled children in the city.

A newspaper photographer at Sturgis, Poland, wished to get a picture of the finish of a motor-cycle race. As the winner neared the line he dashed on to the track and snapped his camera just as the cycle struck him and swerved into the crowd. Two persons were killed and six injured.

Ray Overturf was an all-Ohio Wesleyan University's football team last year. He holds the university heavyweight boxing and

wrestling championships. Last week a physician-lecturer demonstrated first aid treatment in the classroom. Overturf fainted.

Mark Thrash, a former slave, is 114 years old. He lives in Chica-mauga Park, Tenn., where on a government pension, he supports himself, his fifth wife and a step-child. The eldest of his 27 children is now 92.

William Brand, a farmer, living 10 miles south of Cincinnati, is an ardent baseball fan. Unable to attend a recent game between the Reds and the Cubs, he sent Harry Hugo to the game with 19 homing pigeons. At the end of each inning Hugo released a pigeon with a report of the game tied to its leg. The tenth bird, gave Brand the game summary and highlights.

When the will of Maj. Harry Lefroy was read in London it left \$6000, representing five year's war pay, to needy soldiers and sailors. The will read: "I did not join the army to make money, but simply to do my duty and help to defend the lives and property which God gave into my keeping."



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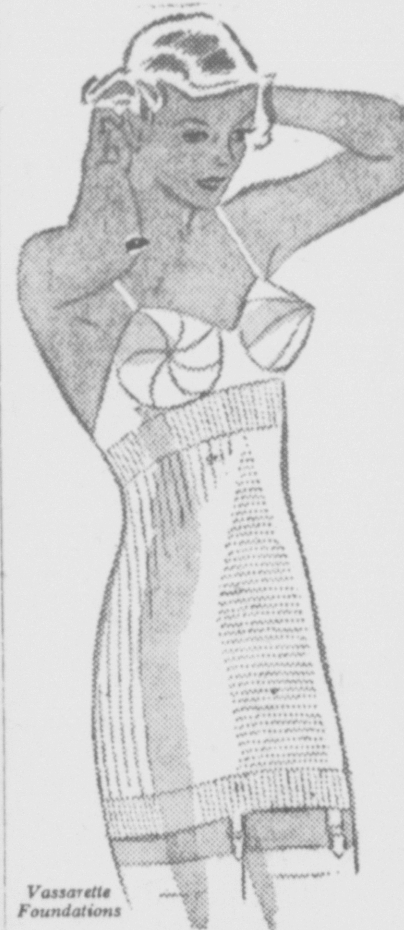
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CATTLE

National Stock Yards, Ill., May 13, 1935—Last week's cattle market very uneven ending up with mixed yearlings and heifers about steady; beef cows 25c lower; canners, cutters, and bulls steady; veal calves gained 50c cwt. Sales for the week: Good steers \$9.75 to \$11.40, top \$12.50; other steers mostly \$8.75 to \$10.50; Good mixed yearlings and heifers \$9.25 to \$10.75, with top on mixed \$11.50; top heifers \$11.00; top yearling steers \$12.35. Good beef cows \$5.25 to \$7.25, top \$8.65. Canners and cutters \$3.25 to \$4.75. Top veal calves \$8.25.

Today's (Monday) market slow; steers about 25c lower; other classes steady. Veal calves 25c higher. Most steers moving \$8.50 to \$10.00 one load made \$11.00. Mixed yearlings \$7.50 to \$10.00. Some \$10.75. Beef cows \$5.25 to \$7.25; canners and cutters \$3.25 to \$4.75. Sausage bulls \$6.25 down. Veal calf top \$8.50.

HOGS

Top of \$9.15 was paid early last week and again at the close, however Thursday only one small lot was able to pass \$9.00, in fact most good hogs 180 lb and up sold \$8.90 to \$9.00.

Today's (Monday) market opened 10 to 20c higher; top \$9.25. Most 180lb and up \$9.10 to \$9.25; 150 to 170 lb \$8.85 to \$9.10; 130 to 10 lb \$8.15 to \$8.50; 100 to 120 lb \$7.35 to \$8.00. Good sows \$8 to \$8.15. Market closed slow.

SHEEP

Following sharp losses of the previous week, all lamb values moved steadily upward until advances of 75c to \$1.00 were registered last week. A few prime kind made \$9.50; most choice springers sold \$8.25 to \$9.25.

Today's (Monday) market strong to 25c higher; spring lambs cashing at \$9.50 to \$9.75 top. Buck lambs are being discounted \$1.00 cwt. Clipped lambs \$8.25; less desirable kinds \$7.00 to \$7.75.

ELEVEN TO GRADUATE FROM VANDUSER HIGH

Eleven Vanduser high school seniors will be graduated tonight at exercises to be held in the high school auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock.

After the class processional

ACTION FOR DIVORCE No. 5211

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
In the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri. To the August Term, A. D. 1935.

W. I. Brown, plaintiff,
vs.
Grace Brown, Defendant.

On this 30th day of April, 1935, in vacation of the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, comes Plaintiff herein by his Attorneys, Blanton & Montgomery, before the undersigned Clerk of said Circuit Court, and files his Petition and Affidavit for Divorce, alleging therein, among other things, that the Defendant, Grace Brown, is not a resident of the State of Missouri and can not be served with the usual and ordinary process of law in this State.

WHEREUPON, IT IS THE ORDER OF THE UNDERSIGNED CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI, in vacation, that Publication be made, notifying the said Defendant, Grace Brown, that the Plaintiff herein has commenced an action against her by petition in the Circuit Court of Scott County, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is to dissolve the Bonds of Matrimony now existing between the Plaintiff and the Defendant and for custody of child.

AND, unless said Defendant, Grace Brown, shall be and appear in the Circuit Court within and for the County of Scott in the State of Missouri to be begun and held at the Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on the Second Monday in August, next, 1935, to-wit: MONDAY THE 12TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1935,

and shall then and there, on or before the First day of said Term, answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's petition in this cause, the said Petition will be taken as by her confessed and judgment rendered accordingly as prayed for in said Petition.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED That a copy hereof be published in the Sikeston Standard, a newspaper of general circulation published in Scott County, Missouri, once a week for four consecutive weeks, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of the said August Term, 1935, of this Court, to which this cause is returnable.

L. J. Pfefferkorn,
Circuit Clerk.
A true copy from the record.
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have affixed the seal of said Court. Done at office in Benton, Missouri, this 30th day of April, A. D. 1935.
(Seal) L. J. Pfefferkorn,
5-3-10-17-24 Circuit Clerk.

and an invocation by the Rev. Mr. Lewis, Isabelle Phegley will deliver a salutatory address, and Margaret Minner, Azzalee Fields, Grace Prindle, and Isabelle Phegley will sing a quartet number, "O Come to the Fields."

Superintendent B. I. Howard's commencement address will follow a violin solo, "Nocturne", by Azzalee Fields, and a valedictory by Audra Edminston.

Bryon Dodd, a member of the Vanduser school faculty, will present the diplomas. A benediction will be given by the Rev. Mr. Lewis.

Seniors are Janice Bissell, Audra Edminston, Azzalee Fields, Velda Hamby, Margaret Minner, Isabelle Phegley, Grace Prindle, Thurman Propst, J. W. Roberts, Walter Summers, and Pauline Wiseman.

These persons are on the eighth grade class roll: Juanita Baugher, Jack Burke, Marvin Callow, Charles Chaney, James Edminston, Tommy Griffin, Grace Honey, A. F. Johnson, Mary E. Johnson, Beatrice Mize, J. B. Moore, Willard Phegley, Audrey Unsell, and Buford McArthur.

Commencement at the Vanduser high school has extended since last Friday, when the senior play, "Bashful Mr. Bobbs", was presented in the auditorium. Baccalaureate services were held Sunday afternoon, the Rev. W. Clark Ellzey preaching.

WOODMAN CIRCLE MET THURSDAY

The Woodman Circle met Thursday afternoon, May 9 at the home of Mrs. Rosa Toney. Several members and two visitors were present. Special Deputy Lizzie Bient of Chaffee was also present for the meeting. The meeting will be with Miss Maude Adams at 210 Ruth St. Thursday afternoon, May 23. Every member is cordially invited to be present.

3 NAMED TO PICK LOT FOR AREA SCOUT EVENT

Three men will arrange for grounds and facilities for the Southeast Missouri area council Boy Scouts camporee here June 7, 8, and 9. W. E. Hollingsworth, chairman of the Sikeston district, announced Monday. They are J.

E. Robinson, head of the committee, and Walter Rayburn and Elmos Taylor. Other arrangements for the camporee will be made by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, which voted recently to sponsor the event. Chamber members will provide judges and awards and will run a soda stand at the camporee grounds, which will probably be located in the southern part of town.

NAVAL NOTES

Fifty-five of the 1934 Naval Academy graduating class were enlisted men in the Navy before going into the Academy.

When the Fleet guns fire, window panes and doors rattle throughout a hundred mile radius ashore. No noise of guns—just the displaced air causing ghostly rattles 100 miles from the firing ships.

The U.S.S. Houston one of our ten thousand ton cruisers can generate enough power to light the City of San Francisco.

Educational courses covering nearly every known trade and subject are available to enlisted men in the U. S. Navy. An officer has charge of these courses and assists the men in their studies.

When plans for a new type ship for the Navy are laid out, a model is first built and tests for faults and improvements before the ship is built.

The Navy's newest air-craft carrier bears the name which has never been long missing from the Navy register since 1777. Seven Rangers have preceded the present one in serving the United States.

Only four submarines are in the Turkish Fleet, and now it is decided that more are needed. They are going to buy four more of this type of warcraft, doubling their present under-water squadron. Two of the present subs used by the Turkish Government were built in Holland and two in Italy. To fill the new demand, Spanish,

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New Madrid County Superintendent's Notes

Enumeration lists and Estimates are due not later than May 15 and most of them have been filed at this writing. On the enumeration lists the total boys and girls should be set out, both white and colored. State aid applications re not due until June 15 but may be turned in now. Report of clerks and secretaries are not due until July 1.

All clerks and secretaries should be sure that Term Reports are filed with the County Superintendent at the close of the term. If in doubt, demand a receipt before issuing last month's warrant.

In the past many persons have come in to pay their taxes and found that they were listed in the wrong school district which means that their school taxes were being used to help some other district. If there are any errors in your assessment have same corrected during June which is the time that the new assessor will begin making up the new books. The new assessor, Shap Hunter, may be found at the Court House.

This spring H. R. No 6360 was

introduced in Congress which would provide for Federal Aid to each school district yearly

amounting to \$25 per pupil in average daily attendance. Even if this were reduced to \$10 per pupil it would help the schools wonderfully and would expedite the distribution of the wealth in the United States and thus help to end the depression. This depression was caused by the concentration of the wealth in the hands of the few rich capitalists, and the common people must suffer until this wealth is gradually scattered out again. Heavy income, inheritance and gift taxes will help to get the money from those who have more than they can use and then it can be wisely distributed. Distribution through the schools is one of the best means.

Since May 1, the writer has taken part in graduation exercises as follows:

Barnes Ridge: James Mansfield and Alfred Proffer, graduates. Imogene Townsend, teacher.

Union Grove: Helen Presson and Geraldine Pool, graduates. Floella Wimp, teacher.

Pleasant Valley: Bernice Mullin Reva Ferguson and Opal Ferguson graduates. Mrs. Pauline Hudson, teacher.

Dawson did not have any graduates this year but a program was given on Thursday night,

May 2. Rexford Sloan is the teacher and will teach again there next year.

On the night of May 15 Risco will hold its Eighth Grade Graduation Exercises and the writer is invited to take part. Oren S. Liley is superintendent there and has been elected back for the sixth year.

Below is a list of some of the rural eighth grade graduates not previously given:

Oak Island: Pauline Sumner, Wilma Williams, Herman Burns, Curtis Davis, Raymond Shelby, teacher.

Linda: Margaret Worth, Thelma Latimer, teacher.

Sugar Tree: Lois Keene, Allegra Smithson, Mrs. Agatha Weeks Parks, teacher.

Phillips: Lyman Bohannon, R. L. Davis, Agnes Littell, teacher. Maple Grove: Kenneth Garland, Cecil Harris, Harry Stacy, Flossie Garland, N. G. Goldsmith, teacher.

Boekerton: Bonetta Starks, Jewell Morris, Gladys Clark, Mildred Hughey, Dorsey McGee, Ruby Hughey, Helen Richardson, Joe Schoolfield, Billy Hawkins, Odell Brock, Hazel Glisson, Clarence Hawkins, Mercial Stewart, and Velma Dibles, teachers.

Kendall: Ruth James, Geraldine Tate, Marie Ward, Myrtle Foster,

Dorothy Moore, Mrs. Pearlline Barry and Hazel Byers, teachers.

MOVABLES NOT ELIGIBLE FOR FHA FINANCING

Cash Advanced by Lending Institutions Must Be For Real Estate Improvements

Only equipment that becomes an integral part of the real estate improvement can be financed with funds borrowed from lending agencies under the provisions of the National Housing Act, the Federal Housing Administration has ruled.

Alterations and repairs to the building or home itself are, of course, permanent improvements to the premises. As such, they can be paid for under the F. H. A. credit plan. But detachable equipment, such as stoves, refrigerators that are not built in, radios, lamps, single unit air conditioners, etc., cannot be financed under the Act.

Technically, anything customarily picked up and carried away in the furniture moving van when occupant moves away is described as movable equipment and therefore is not construed as an improvement upon the real property. Such movables do not affect the value of the real estate proper.

The ruling of the F. H. A. on this point states that modernization loans may be made only "for the purpose of financing alterations, repairs, and improvements upon real property." It states further that "the note must not have been made to cover payments for movable equipment not considered a part of the real estate when installed."

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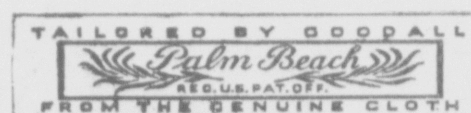
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DumbBell Series—Paramount News
Travelogue "Tracking Explorers"
Matinee 10 & 25c Night 10 & 35c

Saturday, May 18th "MACFADDENS FLATS" with BETTY FURNESS and RICHARD CROMWELL
Serial "Call of the Savages" with Noah Beery, Jr.,
And Cartoon
Matinee 10 & 25c Night 15 & 30c

SUN.-MON., May 19-20 "THE DEVIL IS A WOMAN" with MARLENE DIETRICH and CAESAR ROMERO
Paramount News and Musical short "CASTLE OF DREAMS" with Morton Downey
Matinee 10 & 35c Night 15 & 35c

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THE REX THEATRE WILL BE OPEN ONLY ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS after May 18th.

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Musical short "Hail Brother" and Novelty reel

Saturday and Sunday, May 18-19
"I'VE BEEN AROUND" with CHESTER MORRIS
Serial "BURN 'EM UP BARNES" with Jack Mulhall
Cartoon "Budy's in Africa"
At all times REX ADMISSION 10 & 25c

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Thursday and Friday, May 16-17 "RECKLESS" with Wm POWELL AND JEAN HARLOW

SATURDAY, MAY 18 regular show "PRINCESS O'HARA" with CHESTER MORRIS AND JEAN PARKER
SPECIAL MIDNIGHT SHOW Saturday, May 18th "BRIDE OF FRANKENSTEIN" with BORIS KAR-LOFF, Starts promptly at 11:30 P. M.

Sun.-Mon., May 19-20 "THE WEDDING NIGHT" with GARY COOPER AND DANNA STEN

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EVAP MILK 3 small cans 10c

KITCHEN
KLENZER can 5c

SULTANA QUEEN
OLIVES qt. jar. 29c

SEMINOLE
TISSUE 4 rolls 25c

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Sunday school—9:45 o'clock.
Morning Worship—10:45.
Choir Practice—1st and 3rd Thursday.
Ladies' Aid Society—4th and 2nd Friday.
Women Bible Class—4th Tuesday.

METHODIST CHURCH
Sunday school—9:45 o'clock.
Morning Worship—11 o'clock.
Services will be dismissed for the Baccalaureate sermon, at the high school auditorium.
Epworth League—6:45 o'clock.
Evening Worship—7:45 o'clock.
Evening—Subject: "What Is Christianity? What It Is Not: Who Has a Right To Claim to be a Christian."

CHURCH OF GOD
Sunday school—9:30 o'clock.
Morning worship—11:00 o'clock.
Young Peoples meeting—6:45.
Prayer Meeting—7:30 o'clock.
Wednesday evening.
E. T. Fowler, pastor.

COLLEGE HEAD TO SPEAK
AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Dr. F. L. McClure, president of Westminster College at Fulton, who will deliver a commencement address at the high school graduation exercises Monday night, will speak at the Presbyterian church at 8 o'clock Sunday evening during the regular preaching hour.

At 9 o'clock Sunday morning missions day will be observed by the Rev. D. D. Ellis, the pastor. He will preach on "Should An American Religion Invade Foreign Soil?"
In place of the Wednesday evening services, Dr. Plumer Smith, a missionary to Africa, will speak Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Rev. J. E. Travis, pastor, and members of the New Madrid church will be guests at the service.

The Christian Endeavor meeting will be held Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.
FOUNDATION FORMS FOR CHURCH ADDITION BUILT
Only two days were required to dig a basement for the large addition which will be placed on the east side of the Church of the Nazarene.

Excavation work was done by church members, the Rev. C. F. Transue, the pastor, said, as many as twelve working at one time. By Wednesday they were constructing forms for the concrete foundation.

Since a last report was filed, church members here secured \$150 an additional \$150 from canvassing activities and from pledges made before construction was started. They are now finishing their campaign for money, attempting to gain \$300 to add to their building fund. Less than \$1800, they think will be necessary to pay all expenses.

J. C. Davis will be carpenter and John Hitt bricklayer for the work.

CARD OF THANKS
We take this means of thanking all who sent flowers, Baptist quartet, Rev. Verne Oglesby, pall bearers, and all who furnished cars at the funeral of our father, Jno. Jenkins.
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Is Fourth AAA Referendum Coming Vote to Indicate Views of Majority of Wheat Farmers

The vote on wheat will be the fourth referendum to be conducted by Agricultural Adjustment Administration. It is pointed out by County Agent R. L. Furry. Similar polls on the views of farmers toward adjustment programs have been taken among corn-hog producers, tobacco growers, and cotton farmers.

The wheat referendum is being taken now in order that the Adjustment Administration may have a clear-cut expression of opinion of producers far enough ahead of time to allow preparation of a wheat contract to be offered to farmers before planting of the winter wheat crop for 1935 begins early this coming fall.

Although the referendum is being taken on the single question of the attitude of growers toward a future wheat program, series of meetings are being scheduled now for every community in which the wheat program has been in operation and at these meetings farmers will discuss all phases of the current and past wheat situation, as well as the outlook for the future. Regional and state meetings have already been held in most areas and the community meetings follow.

The proposed future program would follow in general outlines the present program. It would be based upon voluntary contracts with farmers and would be for the four years 1936, 1937, 1938, and 1939, with optional provision for a referendum on the question of continuing it from year to year during this period. Acreage and production base periods would remain the same, thus avoiding the problem of working out new allotments. Adjustments to be required under the contract would be limited to a maximum of 25 per cent of the base acreage. Adjustment payments and processing taxes would be determined as in the present program. Local ad-

ministration of the program would continue to be by the local wheat production control association, with a somewhat greater degree of local responsibility to be exercised by them.

Ballot boxes at following places:

1. Kelso district—Parish Hall, Kelso.
2. Bleda-Chaffee area—Bleda School House.
3. Benton-New Hamburg area—School House at New Hamburg and Court House at Benton.
4. Oran-Perkins area—Heisserer's Store, Oran.
5. Vanduser-Morley area—Emerson Smith office at Morley.
6. Tanner area—Tanner school house.
7. Sikeston area—Russell Brothers, Sikeston.
8. Diehlstadt-Commerce area—Diehlstadt High School, City Hall at Commerce and Blodgett Methodist Church.

The balloting of Southeast Missouri farmers will be part of a nationwide referendum taken during the week of May 20, on this question: "Do you favor continuing a wheat adjustment program to follow the present one, which expires with the 1935 crop year?"

Balloting will be open to producers who did not sign contracts as well as to contract signers, provided they were actual producers of wheat during the years taken as the base period for the wheat control program, according to Leslie B. Broom, New Madrid county agent.

It will be necessary for farmers who are not now signers to appear at the polling places and establish the fact that they are eligible to sign a wheat contract. The community committeemen who will serve as "election judges" will be authorized to pass on the eligibility of such farmers.

In New Madrid county, Mr. Broom said, balloting will be done at the following places throughout Monday, beginning at 8 o'clock in the morning.

Matthews—High School Gym. New Madrid—Court House.

Conran—Community Building. Gideon—High School Auditorium. Risco—Portageville—School Auditorium. Libbourn—School Auditorium.

DISTRICTS TO BE GIVEN 15 VOTES AT G. O. P. MEET

Except in St. Louis and Kansas City, where multiple districts have made other provisions necessary, each congressional district in Missouri will be given fifteen votes at the midwest Republican conference at Springfield, Ill., on June 10 and 11, according to Grover W. Dalton, Republican state chairman.

Mr. Dalton expects at least 1000 Republicans of Missouri to attend the conference, about half of them from the state's two largest cities. On Tuesday Mr. Dalton sent letters to all heads of state congressional committees, asking them to arrange meetings for May 27 and to select delegates to the conference.

The three purposes of the Springfield session, he said, are

these: To formulate and make public declarations of fundamental principles of Republicanism; to set up a midwestern headquarters where information would be collected and distributed; and to afford Republicans an opportunity to meet and become acquainted.

Robert Dempster returned Monday from Columbia, where he drove Friday to attend a founders' day banquet of his fraternity, Delta Theta Phi. On the way to Columbia he stopped in Rolla and Jefferson City to visit friends.

The marriage vow—What does it mean? The marriage certificate—Is it but a piece of paper. The marriage ring—Is it a band or a bond? Here's the truth about the Park Avenue crowd! Rex theatre Saturday and Sunday.

Welter's Honey Flake Wheat Bread, Natures Laxative. Made with crushed wheat and pure honey. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

C. L. Blanton, Jr., left for Troy

and Jefferson City Thursday afternoon. He expects to be back in Sikeston Saturday evening, accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr., who has been vacationing for the past four weeks.

The new Brother is Welter's De Luxe Egg Bread. Made of pure creamery butter and strictly fresh eggs. For sale at our bakery and all independent grocers.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HONORS MOTHERS AT TEA

Members of Mrs. J. M. Pitman's Sunday school class entertained their mothers at a mothers' day tea which they gave at the Methodist Episcopal church between 2 and 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Sixteen mothers attended.

During the tea, class members presented this program: Reading, "Only One Mother", Mary Louise Montgomery.

Group Song by class, "Mother." Solo, "Wonderful Mother of Mine", Ruth Hollingsworth; Mary Jane Sikes, accompanist. Quartet, "My Mother's Eyes", Ruth Hollingsworth, Mary Louise

Montgomery, Mary Catherine Boyer, and Esther Jane Greer. For this number, Mary Jane Sikes played the piano and Catherine Ann Cook the violin.

The twenty-two members of the class furnished red and white roses for the Sunday school and church last Sunday.

KIRBY'S REACH CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Vodrel Kirby and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Kirby of Festus, who left here recently for a vacation in the west, arrived in Los Angeles, Calif., Saturday evening. Vodrel Kirby wrote in a note to C. L. Blanton, Jr., The tourists greatly enjoyed their trip. Mr. Kirby said, and had begun seeing California sights, starting in Los Angeles, which is "a beautiful city." Mr. Kirby did not write when he will return.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion McFarland former citizens of this community but for the past year or two living in St. Louis county, were in Sikeston Tuesday. It is likely they will again be citizens of Southeast Missouri.

Kroger's THE COMPLETE FOOD MARKET

FLOUR	Lyon's Best 24-lb. sack	99c	Thrifty or Big-M sack	24-lb. 79c
Pure Cane Sugar	10 lbs.	50c		
Coffee	Country Club, lb.	25c	FRENCH pound	20c
			JEWEL, pound	15c
			3 pounds	45c
Corn Meal	10 pound sack	23c		
Peaches	Country Club sliced-halves	2	No. 2 1/2 cans	29c
AVONDALE PEAS	2 No. 2 cans	23c	Country Club, fancy	
OUR MOTHERS Cocoa	2 pound box	17c	CORN	2 No. 2 cans 23c
STANDARD TOMATOES	No. 1 can	5c	Crisco	1 pound can 20c
O. K. SOAP	6 14 oz. bars	25c	Country Club	
CAMAY SOAP	6 bars	25c	CHILI CON CARNE	No. 300 can 10c
			General Electric	
			Light Globes	30 watt 10c 60 watt—each
			SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR	package 27c
PURE HOG LARD	Bulk Pound	15c		
MILK-FED VEAL	Chops Pound	22c	Roast Pound	18c
			Stew Lb.	10c
Eatmore Oleo	2 lbs.	27c		
SUGAR CURED BACON BUTTS	lb.	21c		
SUGAR CURED SLICED BREAKFAST BACON	No Rind No Waste	lb. 32c		
Fresh Ground Hamburger	2 lbs.	29c		
FRESH CATFISH, sliced, lb.	25c		SKINNED WHITING FISH, lb.	17 1/2c
Bananas	Golden Yellow	Dozen 15c		
New Potatoes	9 lbs.	25c		
FRESH GREEN BEANS	lb.	5c		
POTATOES	100 lb. Bag	98c	15 lb. Peck	15c